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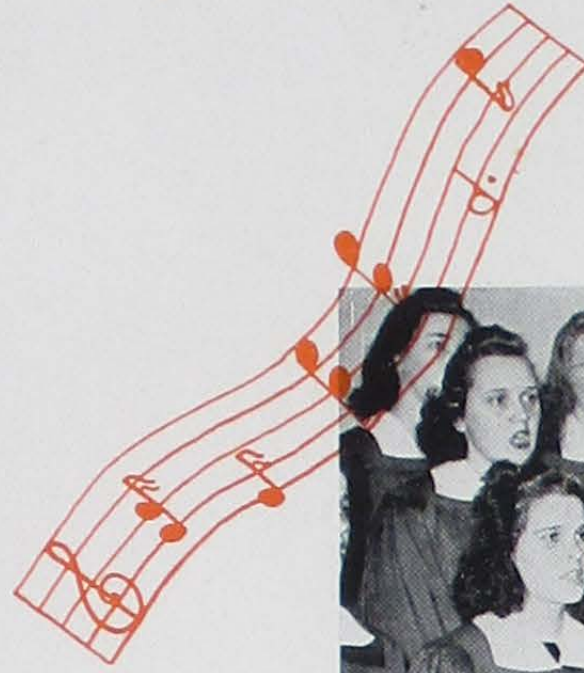






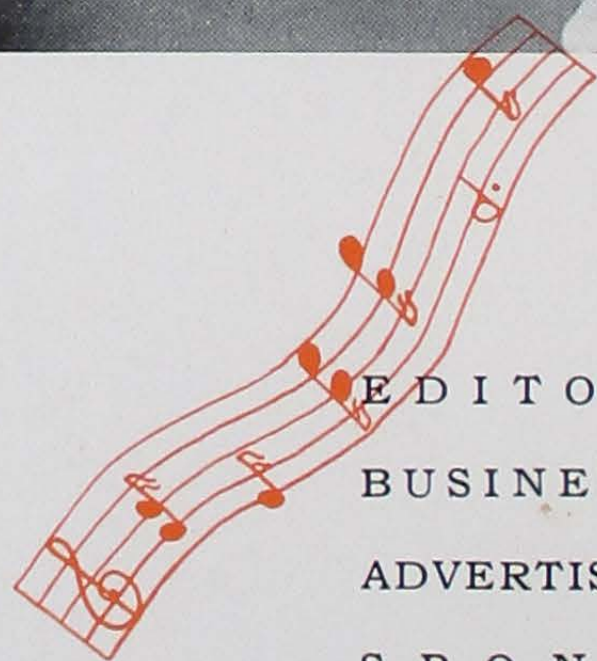






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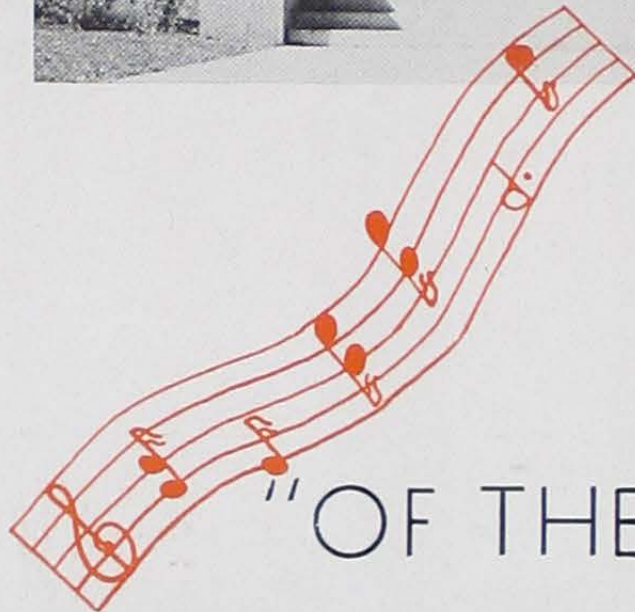
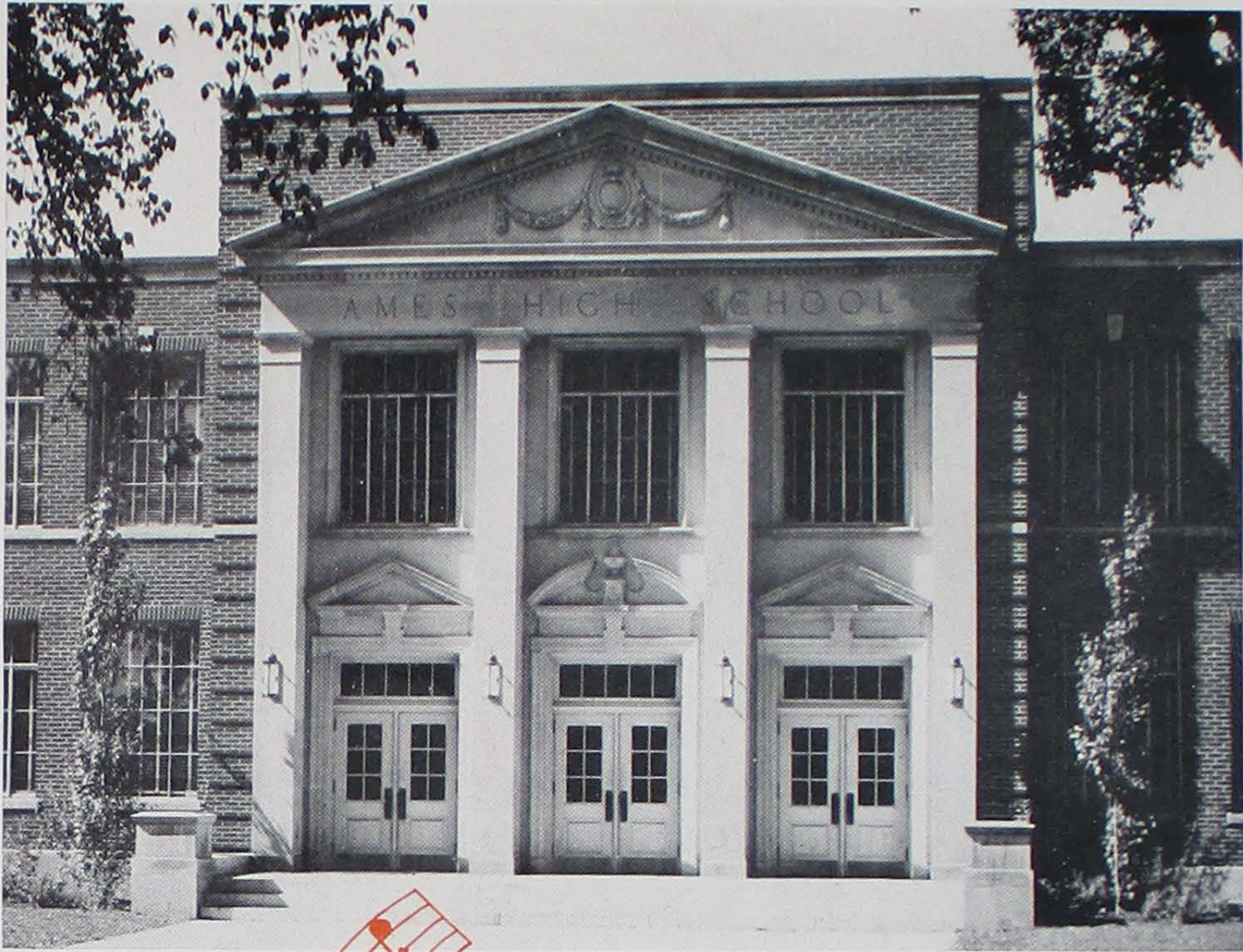
We, the Student  
Body, singing sweet  
songs, both old and  
new, present

# THE SPIRIT

FOR NINETEEN FORTY-ONE

THE YEARBOOK OF AMES HIGH  
SCHOOL AT AMES, IOWA





## "OF THESE WE SING"

**R**aising its hopeful voice in song, looking ever toward the future, youth has furnished the inspiration for this record of high school life. We dedicate it to Democracy, the guiding note of our generation. Long may it strike the chord of harmony among fellow men!







# WITHIN OUR BOOK

ADMINISTRATION

SPORTS

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"O'ER THE  
RAMPARTS  
WE WATCHED"

A D M I N I S T R A T I O N







## V. M. Young Serves Ames for 10 Years

FRIEND of all—partial to none—deserving the admiration of students and teachers—is how we pay tribute to Verne M. Young for ten years of outstanding service as principal of Ames High School.

## New Superintendent Finishes First Year

TERMINATING his first year as superintendent of the Ames School system, Leonard A. Steger has already introduced ideas which are in keeping with the progressive times. We wish him all success in coming years at Ames!







Supt. L. A. Steger, Prof. W. H. Meeker, David Edwards, Dr. A. D. Feldman, N. J. Brintnall, Prof. R. M. Vifquain, Frank B. Howell.

## Ames School Board Allocates \$209,481 Annually for Maintenance of Nine Schools

FOR the year 1941, the Board of Education appropriated \$209,481 to the Ames Public Schools for various purposes such as office and instructional supplies, home economics, and textbooks. The money for this General Fund Budget is received from city taxes and state taxes, and is carefully divided for use among the schools.

The Board members are elected by a general city vote for a term of three years at an election usually held in March. It has so been arranged by law that some old members will always remain to help the new members direct affairs. Officers for the year 1941 are:

R. D. Feldman, president; David Edwards, vice-president; Frank B. Howell, secretary; Hiram Munn, treasurer. Other members are N. J. Brintnall, R. M. Vifquain, and W. H. Meeker. The secretary is appointed by the board and the treasurer is elected. Each member is chairman of one committee and serves on another. The four committees are: Building, Grounds, and Janitors; Finance; Supplies and Purchasing; Teachers and Course of Study.

Regular board meetings are held the second Monday each month, 7:30 p. m. in the Board Room at the High School, but often there are special meetings.



# Supplies Ordered; Clinics Sponsored

LARGEST of the jobs of the superintendent's office is the ordering of supplies for the schools. During the summer, the budget is prepared, and the superintendent's report is given. The attendance record for every pupil in school is also kept here.

Mrs. Elliott, secretary to Superintendent Steger, and Miss Sayre, who assists her and works for the Board of Education, are the principal workers in the office.

SCHOOL physician, Dr. Armstrong, and school nurse, Miss Henrietta Gronlid, who are in charge of the school health department, give medical advice and examinations every morning from eight to nine. Dental, vaccination, immunization, and tonsillectomy clinics are also conducted by this department. A student who has been absent for three days or more must have the consent of the nurse and the doctor before being permitted to return to school.



- Mrs. Elliot and Miss Sayre look over some reports.



- Dr. Armstrong and Miss Gronlid conduct health service.





- Amanda, Virginia and Grace look over current records.
- Two and two make four, according to that machine.

- Rowena takes dictation from Mr. Young.
- Showing various and sundry office duties.

- We wonder if Jean says, "Hello, kid, how are ya?"
- Seventh period for Jim—He's been tardy 4 times.

## Office Issues 5,000 Slips in a Year

**M**ORE than five thousand passes are issued by the office during one year. These slips come under three headings—"Excused from room," "Excused absence," and "Admittance slip."

The task of gathering up these slips from the various rooms at the close of the sixth period each day is one of the duties of the girls who work in the office. Besides collecting these, the office girl gathers the attendance slips after the tardy bell rings, checks the atten-

dance and writes down the absentees, answers the telephone, and takes care of the switchboard.

Financial reports are filled out for each homeroom after most school activities, files of cards are typed, etc., for Mrs. Trimble. Office training is required for graduation in the commercial department; there is always something interesting about these duties, and every girl finds each hour spent in the office enjoyable.





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# Council Supervises Student Activities



Top Row: B. Otopalik, B. Peterson, C. Iverson, H. Gilkey, T. Ronningen, B. Giese, D. Kephart.  
 Middle Row: P. Vance, D. Dixon, M. Dodds, J. Harlan, A. McCormick, C. Riggs, M. Smith.  
 Bottom Row: J. Arrasmith, K. Berry, Miss White, G. Hartman, F. Manning.

STUDENT Council, the legislating body, is composed of the presidents from the eighteen homerooms.

The council, divided into groups, manages the necessary business. These committees of Student Council members and delegates from the three classes are: the Assembly, Citizenship, Publicity, Service, and Social.

The Social Committee arranged for all dances and helped with Open House. Planning parents' night and revising the handbook were the main duties of the Citizenship Committee. The Publicity Committee handled advertising. The Service group managed the Lost and Found and sales of unclaimed articles.

The Student Council was again host for the annual State Leadership Conference held in April at Iowa State College. This is one of the most important of the Council's projects, for invitations must be sent out, and housing accommodations, entertainment, and meals arranged for many visitors. Five delegates were chosen from Ames High to represent us.

George Hartman and Dar Kephart were presidents during first and second semester respectively. Keith Berry and Lloyd Kester were the vice presidents. The secretaries were Frances Manning and Ann McCormick. Jean Arrasmith was appointed treasurer.



# Student Treasurers Handle \$12,000

**N**EARLY \$12,000 a year is handled by this group of student treasurers. This is not a formal organization, but every treasurer is responsible to a faculty member, Miss McNally. With its system of double checks, Ames High has one of the best methods of financing extra-curricular activities in the state. The treasurers represent the Dramatic Club, Debate, Student Council, Girl Reserves, Hi-Y, the instrumental and vocal groups, athletics, and other organizations.

Since duplicate cash books are kept, both by the general treasurer and by the students, the few mistakes made are easily discerned. All money is kept in one checking account. To make an expenditure, the treasurer must write a

requisition for a check, sign it himself, have the sponsor sign it, and get Mr. Young's signature. After the check is written, it is the treasurer's job to see that the check is delivered and the requisition is signed by the receiver. Every activity operates on a budget, which it is supposed to follow as closely as possible.

The activities which have no means of financing themselves are helped by those organizations which show a yearly profit. This is done through the Office Fund, which takes twenty per cent of each balance at the beginning of the school year.

During this year, Ruth Miller and Clawson Cannon aided Miss McNally in the functional phases of this work.

TOP ROW: C. Martin, K. Berry, D. Lush, H. Gilkey, A. Hausrath, D. Pride.  
SECOND ROW: R. Miller, J. Arrasmith, P. Shearer, V. O'Neil, M. J. Rice, M. Taylor.  
BOTTOM ROW: V. McKibben, A. McCormick, Miss McNally, L. Hummel, D. Kepart.







Top Row: Harold Morrison, Henry Morrison, A. Riley, D. Sills, O. Wellhouse, K. Beresford, J. Harlan, J. Martin.  
 MIDDLE Row: W. Reed, H. Willcox, R. Williams, W. Forman, M. Jones, T. Ronningen, A. Caine.  
 BOTTOM Row: L. Willson, K. Lewis, L. Mahone, Miss Spatz, L. Dudley, B. Maritz, R. Taylor.

## Circular Badges Mark Squad Members

TO replace the traditional red and black Fire Squad arm bands, the distinguishing mark which has been used since the origin, it was decided to have small black and orange badges bearing the words, "Ames High Fire Squad." These new badges are smaller and more easily taken care of.

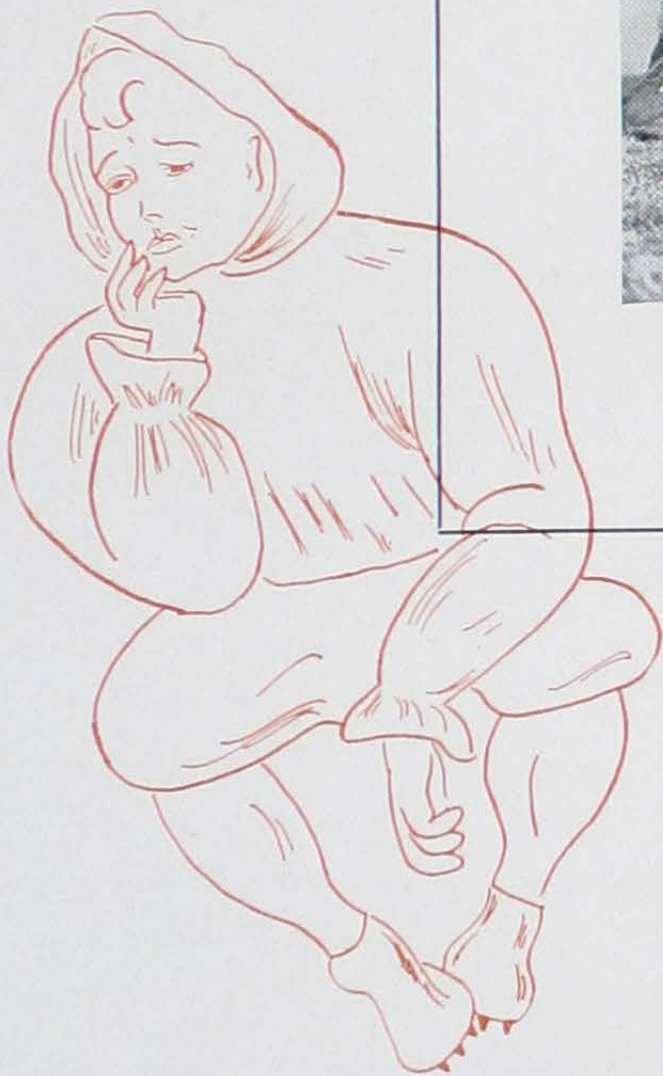
Fire drills were held about once a month throughout the year. The best drills during class periods usually occupied about one minute and five seconds. To vary this routine procedure, drills were held at odd times such as the period between classes when the students were in the halls and had no specific order in which to exit.

In the capacity of hall monitors, the Fire Squad spent many hours. The first members on duty each day were at the northeast and southeast doors at 8:00. At 8:15, half the squad was on hall duty to prevent disturbances.

At 12:30, two members were again on door duty to admit students with passes, and at 12:45 the hall monitors were at their stations. To end the day, one member was always on duty from 3:45 to 4:00 to clear the halls.

Fire Squad meetings were held each Friday noon during the year, where posts were assigned and members gave opinions as to how the squad and its duties could be improved.





"ON TO THE  
VIC-TO-RY  
RAH! RAH! RAH!"

S P O R







Top Row: Coach Wells, B. Nicholson, C. Monahan, B. Nutty, D. De La Hunt, B. Otopalik, L. Willson, R. Williams, W. Smith, W. Cunningham, R. Brynes, D. Kephart, E. O'Neil, Coach Smalling.  
 SECOND ROW: D. Mitchell, B. Clark, D. Dirksen, B. Wallace, J. Ballard, H. Shugart, E. Farni, J. Erickson, L. DeHoet, C. Green, V. Norlin.  
 THIRD ROW: G. Hartman, E. Comstock, R. Cook, J. Anderson, B. Friedrich, C. Martin, J. Lynch, E. Wierson, M. Beman, J. Engeldinger, P. Nichols.  
 BOTTOM ROW: W. Keigley, A. Bates, J. Kline, R. Woodward, C. Riggs

## Gridders Named on Honorary Teams

### CENTRAL IOWA CONFERENCE STANDINGS

	W	L	T	PCT.
Oskaloosa	4	0	1	.900
Boone	2	1	1	.625
Ames	2	2	0	.500
Grinnell	1	2	0	.333
Newton	0	1	0	.000
Marshalltown	0	3	0	.000

### LITTLE CYCLONES' ALL-OPPONENT TEAM

#### ENDS

FERREE, *Oskaloosa*; HORTON, *Des Moines*

#### TACKLES

MORRIS, *Boone*; NICHOLSON, *Perry*

#### GUARDS

EDWARDS, *Oskaloosa*; HART, *Dowling*

#### CENTERS

SWANEY, *Grinnell*; WISECUP, *Boone*

#### BACKS

BALL, *Marshalltown*; STAPLETON, *Perry*; CUMMINGS, *Boone*; CAMPBELL, *Oskaloosa*; BEASLEY, *North Des Moines*

### HONORARY SELECTIONS CENTRAL IOWA CONFERENCE

#### FIRST TEAM

Shugart, *tackle*

#### SECOND TEAM

O'Neil, *end*  
Erickson, *center*

#### HONORABLE MENTION

Hartman, *end*  
Byrnes, *back*

DeHoet, *tackle*  
Anderson, *back*

### IOWA DAILY PRESS

#### THIRD TEAM

Shugart, *tackle*

#### HONOR ROLL

O'Neil, *end*  
Martin, *guard*  
Erickson, *center*  
Byrnes, *back*  
Woodward, *back*

### JACK NORTH

#### THIRD TEAM

Shugart, *tackle*

#### HONOR ROLL

Erickson, *center*  
Byrnes, *back*

# FOOTBALL — — HOT



• That's a bad place to be, Woodward.

• Shoot the pigskin to him, Byrnes, boy.

• Come to papa!

• This shows that there were people at the Boone-Ames game!



# OFF THE GRID





TOP ROW: Erickson, O'Neil, Shugart, Woodward, C. Martin.  
 SECOND ROW: Bates, X-Lynch-X, Byrnes, Hartman, Anderson.  
 THIRD ROW: DeHoet, Kephart, Friedrich, Comstock boots one, Farni.  
 BOTTOM ROW: Wierson, Green, Cook, squad cheers.

## Outstanding Work Wins Letters for 29

### MAJOR

George Hartman	Eugene O'Neil
Roger Williams	Junior Comstock
Harold Shugart	Leonard DeHoet
Clyde Greene	Maurice Ballard
Carl Martin	Don De La Hunt
Bob Friedrich	Jim Lynch
John Erickson	Eugene Wierson
Ray Byrnes	Ed Farni
Jim Anderson	Romaine Woodward

Browne Otopalik	Dar Kephart
Ray Cook	Art Bates

### MINOR

Paul Nichols	Dwaine Smith
Bob Nicholson	Bob Wallace

### MANAGERS

Jim Cline	Glenn Riggs
Warren Keigley	



# Squad Wins Four; Loses Two; Ties One

## AMES 7 DOWLING 0

IN a game which showed breaks for each team and unusually rough play, the Little Cyclones opened their season on the local field. Ames scored midway in the second quarter on two passes, and the pass for the point was good. Dowling drove goalward in the final minutes of play and when the gun sounded they were on the Ames half yard stripe. Ames showed a varied offense and the line looked good for the initial game.

## AMES 8 NORTH 6

By virtue of superior blocking and alert pass defense, the Little Cyclones came through with a win over the heavier Des Moines eleven. O'Neil blocked a North punt in the first quarter, and North recovered in their end zone for a safety. Later in the initial period, North scored from the Ames two yard line. In the third quarter, Byrnes counted from the North thirteen for the winning touchdown.

## AMES 33 MARSHALLTOWN 12

The Ames Eleven took vengeance on Marshalltown for the 14 to 13 defeat they took last season. Ames ran through the Bobcats for many long gains, with Anderson scoring three times, Byrnes once and Woodward once.

## OSKALOOSA 34 AMES 12

Ames suffered its worst defeat in many years at the hands of powerful Oskaloosa. The Osky line opened wide holes in the Ames forward wall and the backs had little trouble gaining yardage. Ames' attack got going smoothly

only during the third period when they pushed over two counters. Anderson, Martin and Woodward were injured in the first half, and saw no action during the final period.

## AMES 6, PERRY 6

The Little Cyclones and Perry fought to a standstill in a game which showed strong line play and two sensational touchdowns. Ames counted in the initial periods on a pass, Bates to Woodward. Bates missed the kick for the point. Perry scored from the Ames 47. The plunge for the extra point was smeared.

## GRINNELL 7 AMES 0

A driving Grinnell offense combined with the injury of several Ames regulars spelled defeat for the Little Cyclones. The Little Pioneers scored in the third quarter after recovering a bad pass from center on the Ames 15. Ames clicked in the final quarter on a series of passes, but an interception stopped the threat deep in Grinnell territory. Hartman, Anderson and Shugart were hurt and their steady play was missed.

## AMES 7 BOONE 6

Showing plenty of fight and determination, the Ames squad ended their 1940 season with a hard fought victory. Ames scored in the first period on a pass, Bates to Woodward, and Bates kicked the point which proved to be the margin of victory. The Ames eleven held off the powerful Boone line until the final period when the Toreadors scored from the Ames 4. The plunge for a point was stopped.





TOP Row: Coach Ritland, R. Davis, J. Kimler, J. Nutty, D. Ross, B. McClain, B. Schlick, J. Galvin, K. H. Davis, E. Larsen.  
 SECOND Row: J. Barnes, B. Hammond, D. Sadler, F. Bender, T. Maney, M. Kurtz, B. Graham, H. Morrison, B. Ross, F. Soreghan.  
 THIRD Row: B. Mahone, T. McElherne, J. Dietz, E. Feldman, A. Caine, P. Vance, E. Carty, B. Green, T. Garfield, K. L. Davis, J. West.  
 BOTTOM Row: M. Ehen, W. Douglass, H. McClintock.

## Seconds Promise Strong '42 Squad

East Des Moines	24	Ames	6
Colo	24	Ames	13
Boone	32	Ames	6
Marshalltown	19	Ames	6
Webster City	0	Ames	13

Although not a team that won most of its games, the Ames second team did have a successful season in that many prospects were found for the varsity next year. The lack of a good passing attack made way for running plays aided by good blocking. A surprising scoring punch was shown by the team; once within the twenty, they were hardly ever stopped. Most of the points scored against Ames were made in the last half due to the weakening of the line.

One of the most thrilling plays of the year was executed by little Bob Graham, who stole the ball from a mass of Colo players and raced 65 yards for a touchdown.

A few of the outstanding players for next year in various departments are: pass defense—Floyd Bender, blocker—Paul Vance, pass receiver—K. H. Davis, line buckler—Ed Carty, open field runner—"Red" Davis, kicker—Earl Feldman, tackler—Bob Green, defensive lineman—Joe Galvin, diagnostician of opposing plays—Bruce McClain.

If the season had been longer, the team might have had a better record.



# You've Got It Now Keep It---the Pep!

"BRETHREN, Hallelujah" and "T-E-A-M" echoed in the ears of 1941 as one of the best seasons ended.

Prominent in pep, school spirit, and scholarship, Pep Club is composed of thirty-six girls—eighteen seniors, twelve juniors, and six sophomores.

Pep Club marched during the halves, and played a basketball game against the Varsity Club initiates.

Cheer squad includes Eleanor Kenfield, Pat Shearer, Kathleen Thompson, Anna Kay Norris, Elizabeth Kephart, and Ed Ritts.

Miss Alvira Lunsford and Miss Helen Hadish are sponsors of Pep Club and Cheer Squad; Lynn Nichols is president; Mary Jane Rice, vice president; Ellen Mitchell, secretary; Ann McCormick, treasurer.

TOP ROW: H. Gowen, J. Yoder, N. Lindstrom, J. Clyde, P. Rushing, M. Dodds, K. Hein, F. Friley, R. Lindstrom, R. Miller.

SECOND ROW: D. Porter, V. Carter, J. Thomas, M. Quist, G. Brown, M. Hein, B. Dunlap, E. Butler, D. Christianson, F. Manning.

THIRD ROW: M. Mezvinsky, B. Butler, D. Sauvain, M. Taylor, J. Brintnall, M. Gilchrist, M. Merrick, V. Halstead, O. Peterson.

FOURTH ROW: P. Anderson, E. Mitchell, L. Nichols, Miss Lunsford, Miss Hadish, M. Rice, A. McCormick, N. Bauer, E. Dudgeon.

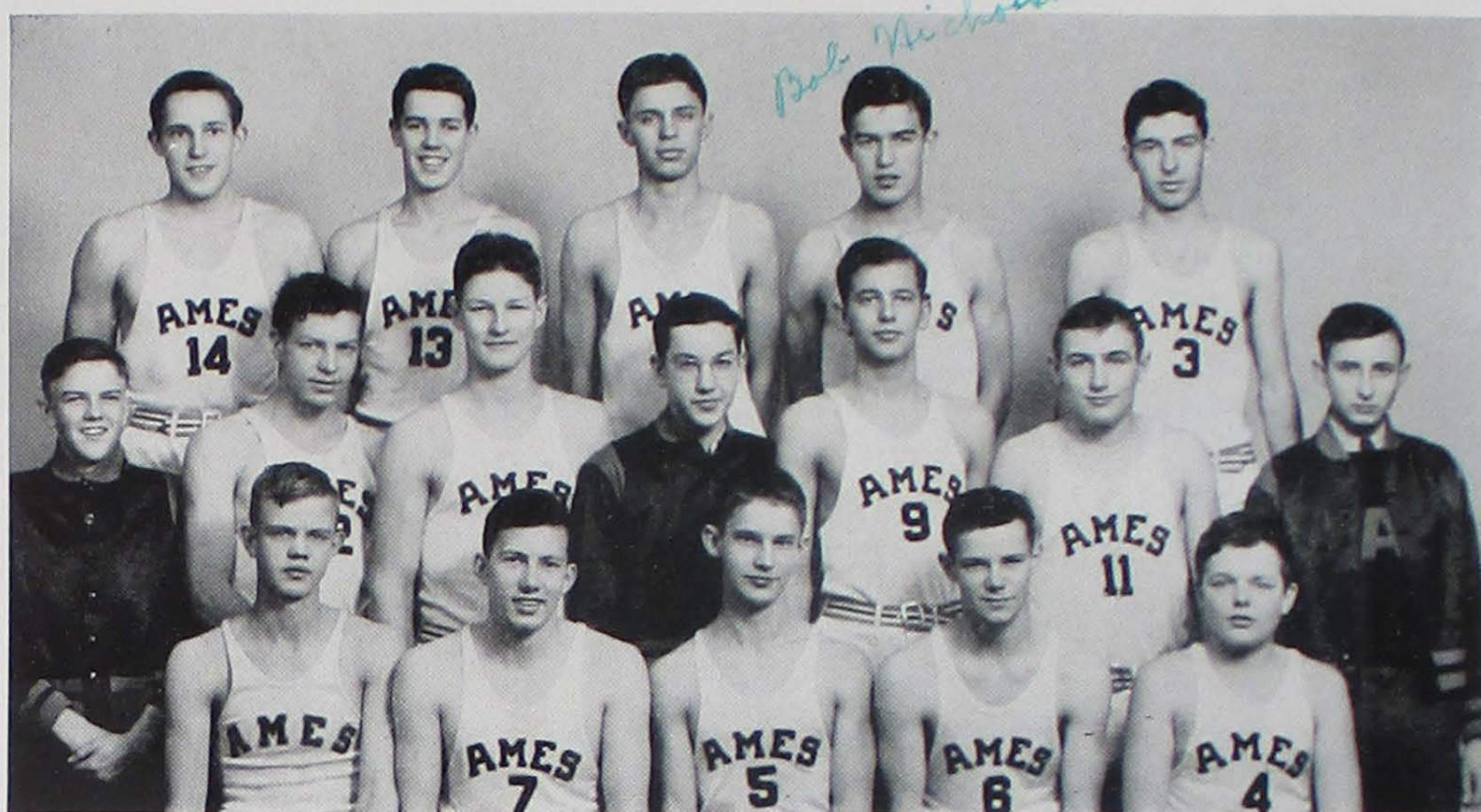
BOTTOM ROW: A. Norris, E. Kephart, P. Shearer, E. Ritts, K. Thompson, E. Kenfield.

•Dona yells to kill the referee and •"Yeah Team" •Ed leads them at •One of the few times when Pep Justine looks disgusted. cheers Kate. the Boone game. Club watched the game.





# VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM



TOP ROW: H. Shugart, K. Beresford, R. Woodward, B. Nicholson, E. O'Neil.  
MIDDLE ROW: M. Ehen, V. Norlin, E. Comstock, G. Riggs, K. Kroesen, R. Byrnes, J. Cline.  
BOTTOM ROW: B. Wiersen, B. Otopalik, L. Kester, M. Beman, B. Firkins.

## Squad Tallies 12 Wins and 7 Losses

SHOWING some spurts of fine ball playing, an inconsistent Ames High basketball team completed a successful season, winning twelve tilts and losing seven.

After winning the State Sectional Tournament held in Ames, the Little Cyclones were ousted from further play by Nevada in the District Tournament finals. The Ames cagers finished their Central Iowa Conference competition in third place, splitting with Newton, Boone, and Oskaloosa; winning both games from Marshalltown; and dropping two contests to Grinnell.

The Little Cyclones scored a total of 617 points during the 1940-41 season, averaging 32.5 points per game. Ames opponents counted 504 points for an average of 26.5 points per game. Romaine Woodward led the Ames team in individual scoring with 193 points in 18 games. He finished second in conference scoring with a 102 total. Other high season scorers for the Little Cyclones were Shugart with 123 points and Kester with 88 counters.

At the close of the season, the members of the squad chose Romaine Woodward as honorary captain.



# JOURNEYS 664 MILES

CLOCKWISE, STARTING UPPER LEFT CENTER: O'Neil,  
Beresford, Otopalik, Kester, Kroesen, Beman, Fir-  
kins, Byrnes.  
LEFT CENTER: Woodward.  
RIGHT CENTER: Shugart.





### *Season Record*

Ames 29	Perry 23
Ames 34	Nevada 22
Ames 23	Newton 16
Ames 40	Marshalltown 34
Ames 34	North 25
Ames 32	Oskaloosa 41
Ames 44	Boone 43
Ames 18	Grinnell 22
Ames 25	Newton 26
Ames 18	Roosevelt 19
Ames 28	Marshalltown 26
Ames 37	Oskaloosa 19
Ames 38	Boone 43
Ames 29	Grinnell 31
Ames 42	Fort Dodge 33

- Woodward rings the bell.
- Reaching for the stars.

### *Sectional Tournament*

Ames 41	Roland 11
Ames 47	Story City 20

### *District Tournament*

Ames 37	Gladbrook 28
Ames 21	Nevada 23

### *Honoraries*

#### *Central Iowa Conference*

First Team—Woodward, forward

Second Team—Shugart, forward

Honor Roll—Byrnes, guard

Kester, guard

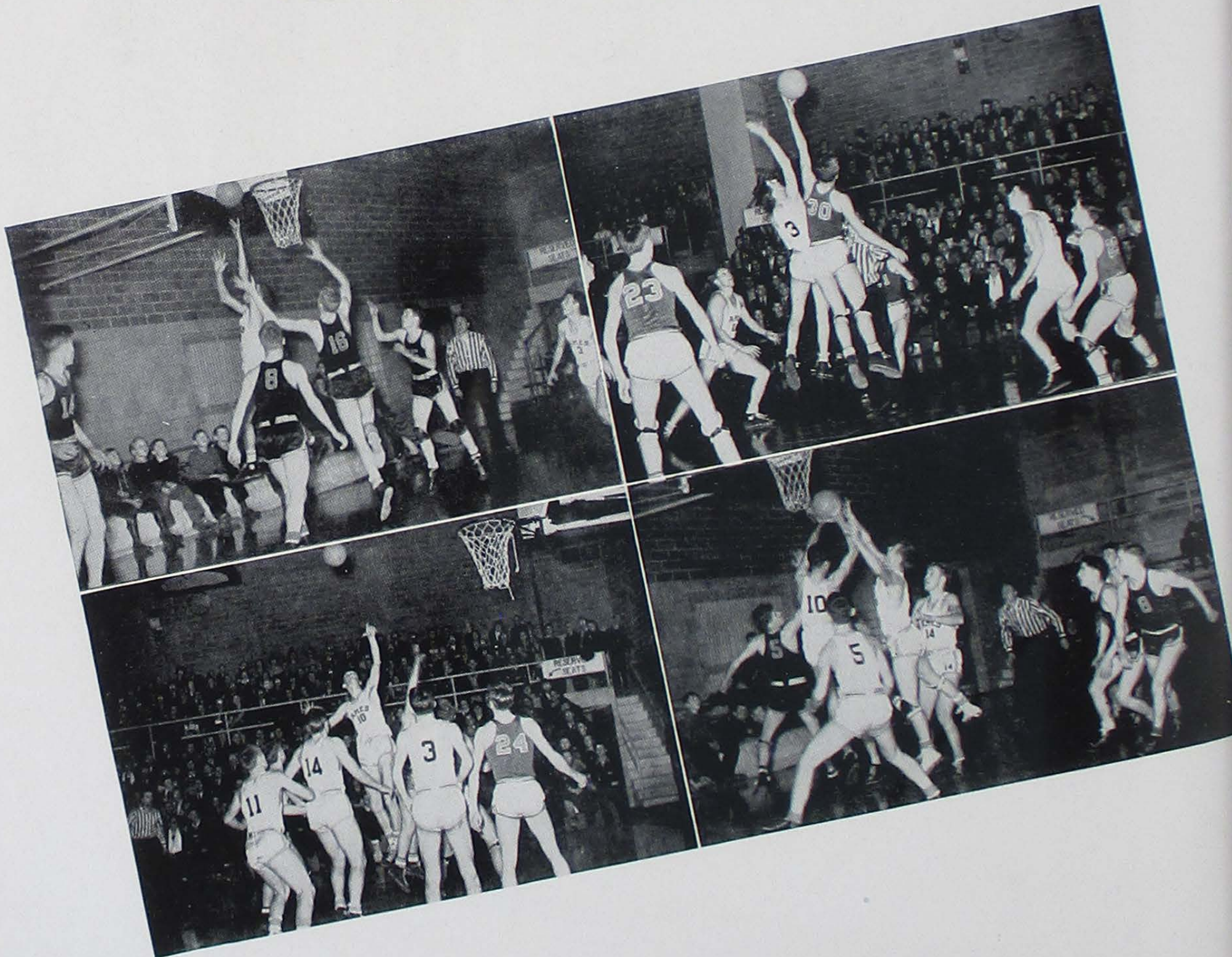
### *Iowa Daily Press*

### *Honor Roll*

Woodward, center

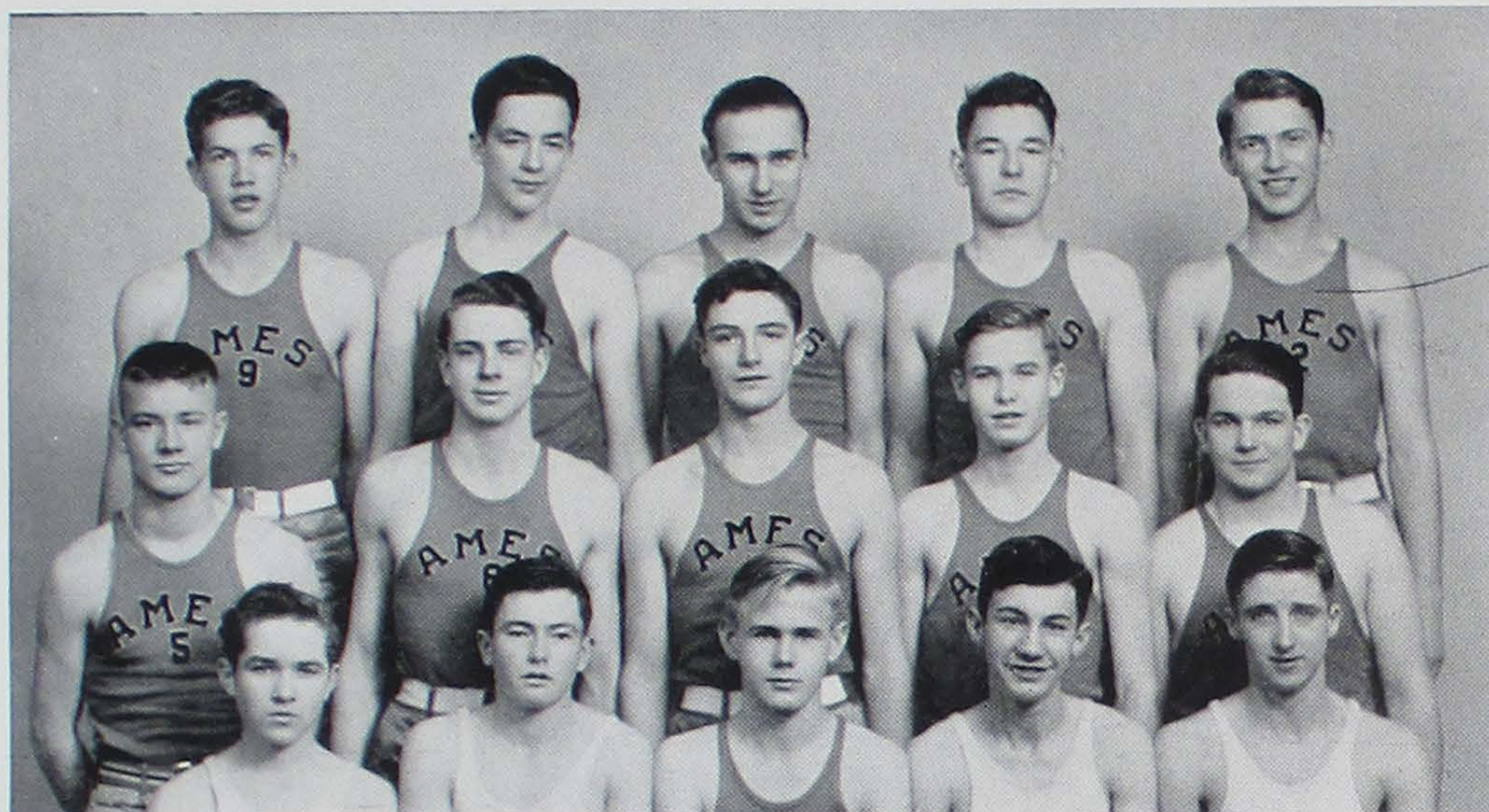
Shugart, guard

- A little more push, O'Neil.
- Nice rebounding, fellas'





# Seconds Win Ten and Lose Eight Games



TOP ROW: B. Myers, B. Ross, B. McClain, D. Sadler, F. Bender.  
SECOND ROW: H. Willcox, K. H. Davis, B. Mahone, J. Galligan, A. Caine.  
BOTTOM ROW: P. Vance, E. Carty, B. Peterson, T. Maney, D. Shockley.

AMES High's sophomore team, coached by Ray Smalling, participated in an 18 game schedule and came through with a season record of ten wins and eight losses. In the second team conference race, the Ames team finished in a tie for third with Oskaloosa. Strong sophomore teams were found in the competition which gives promise of a strong race next season.

Several individual stars were found, but like the first team, the sophs weren't too consistent, the defense and offense being below par.

The team represented Ames in the county tournament held at Nevada. They were victorious over Roland and Maxwell in first round games, but fell before Nevada in the finals.

Ames 21	Perry	13
Ames 26	Nevada	28
Ames 36	Newton	16
Ames 22	Marshalltown	23
Ames 32	North	23
Ames 25	Oskaloosa	26
Ames 23	Boone	21
Ames 33	Grinnell	7
Ames 28	Newton	17
Ames 25	Roosevelt	31
Ames 30	Marshalltown	31
Ames 19	Boone	38
Ames 2	Grinnell	0*
Ames 17	Grinnell	20†
Ames 13	Napier	12

\* Forfeit. † Reserves

## COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Ames 23	Roland	17
Ames 25	Maxwell	22
Ames 19	Nevada	37





TOP ROW: E. Feldman, F. Bender, K. H. Davis, B. Myers, W. Smith, E. Carty.  
 SECOND ROW: W. Keigley, H. Wilcox, L. Dudley, B. McClain, E. Comstock, H. Shugart, D. Mumm.  
 BOTTOM ROW: G. Hartman, K. Berry, C. Major, R. Woodward, C. Martin, P. Morgan, P. Nichols.

• This is the time for someone to order, "Attention, Morgan."

• Keith, Leland rounding the bend in short pants.

• This is not the bat man, but a portrait of Jack Pinney.

## Nine Lettermen Return to Track Squad

WITH eight major and one minor lettermen returning, the Little Cyclone track team looked forward to a successful 1941 campaign. The Ames tracksters were out to annex their fourth consecutive conference title. Romaine Woodward, George Hartman, Charles Major, Paul Morgan, and Paul Nichols, seniors, and Keith Berry, Harry Barnes, and Dwaine Smith, juniors, were the returning major lettermen. Phil Armstrong, junior, was the minor

letter winner back. Bruce McClain, a sophomore, is a promising quarter miler who saw some experience with the team last season.

A full schedule faced the squad since they planned to compete in the state indoor meet, the Valley Relays, the Teacher Relays, the Drake Relays, the Grinnell Interscholastic, the conference meet, the district meet, and the state outdoor classic.



# Tennis Team Contests in Four Matches

"COACH" Swedell leaned against the fence, venturing a bit of prodigious advice. "Keep the game in your head as well as your head in the game!" These occasional proverbs and trites bring fruit, for Coach Swedell is regularly rewarded by successful teams.

Left by the '40 squad were one major letter winner, Ken Beresford, and two minor letter winners, Chuck Dillon and Lloyd Mahone. Enthusiastically the

team members received John McElhinney, from West Waterloo; Jim and Don De La Hunt, Bruce Ross, George Peterson, Don Illeman, Bob Jondall, and John Rice were also on the team.

Matches were played with Boone, Fort Dodge, Roosevelt, and West Waterloo. Highlights of the year consisted of the Teachers' College Relays Tournament, District Tournament, and the Central Iowa Conference Tournament.

TOP Row: C. Dillon, D. De La Hunt, K. Beresford, B. Ross, J. De La Hunt, R. Jondall.  
BOTTOM Row: L. Mahone, J. Rice, Mr. Swedell, G. Peterson, D. Illeman





# Golfers Participate in Eleven Meets

**G**UIDED by Coach John Harms, the Ames High golf squad played an eleven meet schedule. The Little Cyclone team met Newton, Ankeny, Boone, and Roosevelt of Des Moines, and played in the Cedar Falls, Cedar Rapids, and Ames invitation meets; also in the Central Iowa Conference, the State District, the Spring State, and the Fall State meets.

The Little Cyclones were led by lettermen Guy Rhinehart and Jim Anderson. Dale Kroesen, Browne Otopalik, Bruce Firkins, and Bill Giese were others who had seen competition.

The golfers held practices twice each week, using a system of challenge matches to decide playing positions. All practice sessions and home matches were played on the Homewood course.

Top Row: B. Giese, D. Kroesen, B. Otopalik.

Bottom Row: H. Lantz, J. Anderson, G. Rhinehart, B. Firkins.



• Hiding behind that big hat is—Browne!



• Bruce and Dale decide that it's a golf club.

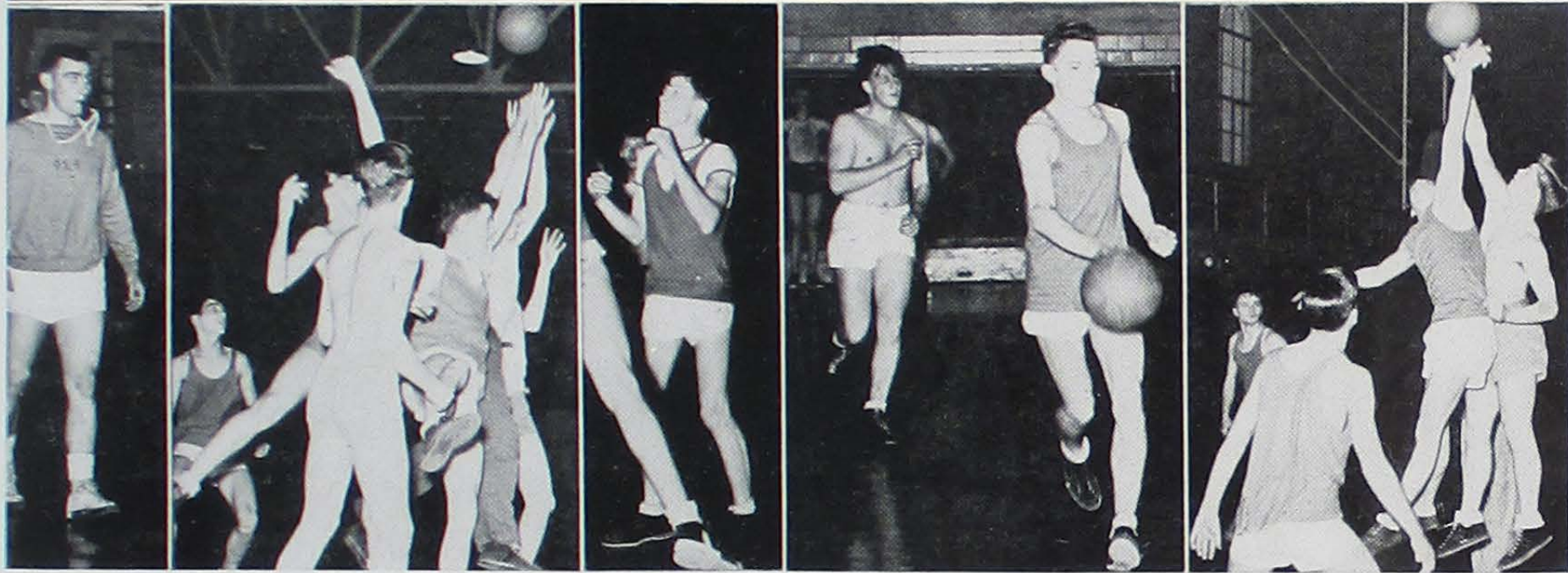
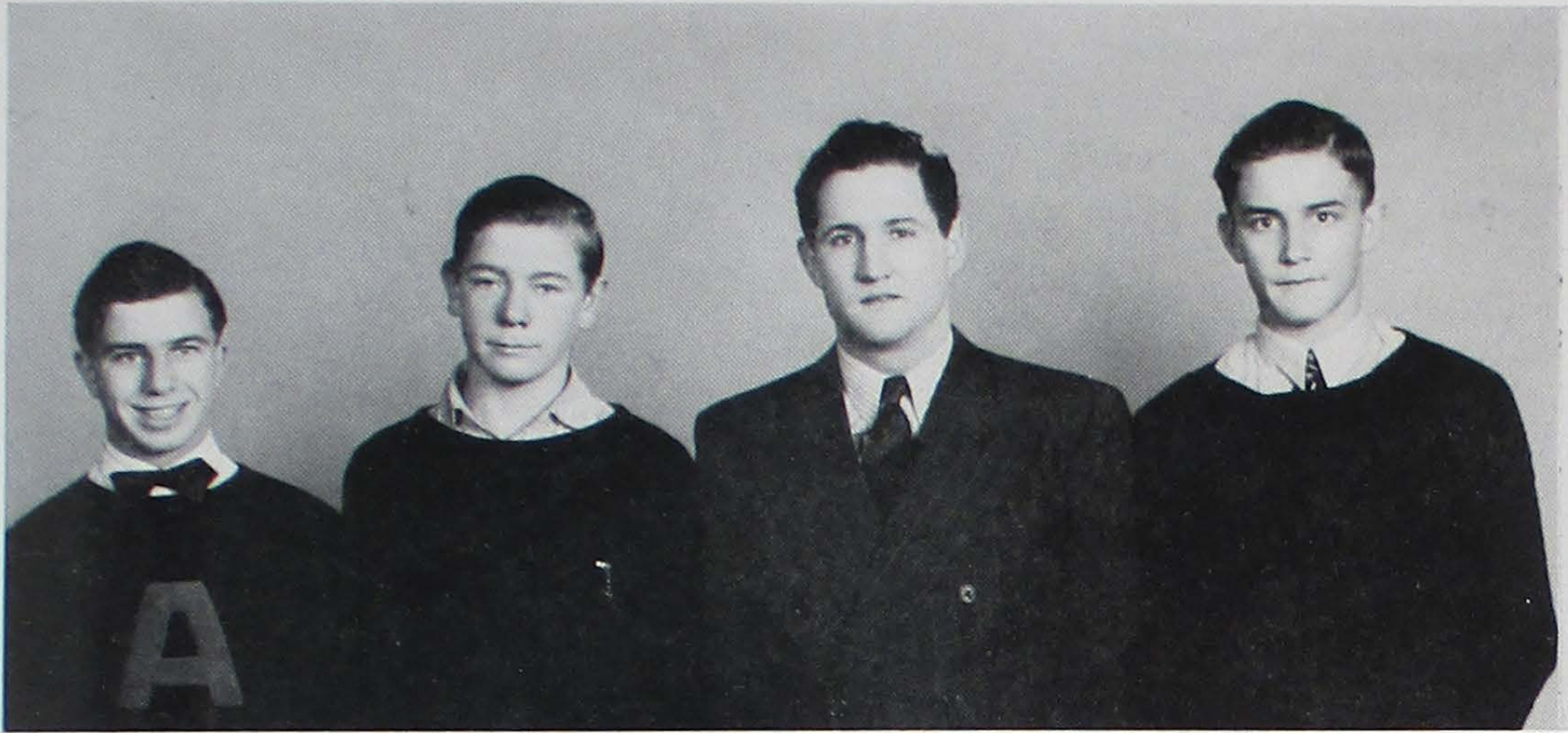


• Amazingly, Guy sunk the putt, too.



• Friedy shows Bus how it isn't done.





C. Martin, W. Keigley, Mr. Smalling, D. Olsson

• Ray looks skeptical • Ouch! Will someone get off my feet? • Lloyd watches how it's done. • Roger streaks down with Jim right after him. • They're really up in the air about that one.

## Two Intra-mural Crowns Go to Room 206

**H**EADED by Coach Ray Smalling and three student managers, an extensive intramural athletic program for boys is carried on in Ames High. Every boy not eligible for varsity competition may take part in the various activities.

About 160 boys participated in the basketball program and each home room was represented in one of the three leagues. Room 206 was crowned

as Championship League king, Room 237 won the Runnerup League title, and Room 206B took the Scrub League championship. Trophies were awarded to the champion home rooms by the Intramural Council. All-star teams were picked and the senior team won the playoff.

Thirty boys took part in the bowling program which met each week on the Ames Bowling Club alleys.





## Juniors Take Basketball Tournament

BACK ROW: N. Shellito, K. McDonald,  
B. LaVelle, I. Turpin.

FRONT ROW: C. Smith, B. Pickell,  
Capt. Hein, W. Geiger, E. Uhl.



## Mezvinsky's Bowlers Win Round Robin

STANDING: N. Shellito, P. Pride.

SITTING: C. Dodds, Capt. Mezvinsky,  
E. Kephart.

**N**EARLY 125 girls enjoyed participation in G. A. A. activities this year. The aim of the Girls' Athletic Association is to afford every girl the chance to develop physically, mentally, morally, and socially. Any girl may join and is considered an active member after earning 100 points.

Activities were planned by the G. A. A. Council, made up of three juniors and three seniors who were elected last spring. Officers chosen at the first council meeting of the year were: Martha Bretnall, president; Bonnie Butler vice-president; Deloris Kephart, secretary-treasurer; Edith Uhl and Mary Jane

## 125 GIRLS PARTICIPAT



Rice, point-recorders; Ruth Gaessler, social chairman. Miss Alvira Lunsford sponsored the group.

An elimination tournament in basketball proved successful for the juniors. Volley-ball enthusiasts fought hard in a round robin contest. The council sponsored tournaments in badminton, ping-pong, deck tennis, baseball and track, but the most popular and most talked of activity was the new bowling program. The Ames Bowling Club al-

leys was reserved for the girls every Wednesday from four to six o'clock. Enthusiasm was so great (more than sixty girls took part in this sport alone) that teams were formed, and the girls played a round-robin tournament. Minna Mezvinsky's bowlers took top honors.

Major and Minor "A's" and pillow top awards were presented to active members who earned a combination of points in leadership, skill, organized games, unorganized games, and health.

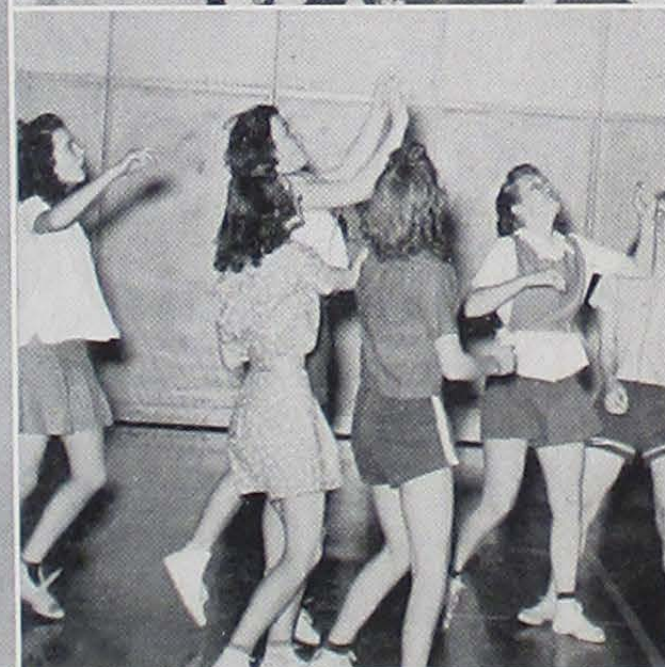
• Pass—Dudgeon to Carter

• Looks like a foul from here.

• Move over, Lolly, we can't see who's shooting!

• Heads up!

STANDING: E. Uhl, R. Gaessler, D. Kephart.  
SITTING: B. Butler, M. Bretnall, M. Rice.



## G. A. A. ACTIVITIES





TOP ROW: B. Friedrich, E. Wierson, R. Williams, E. Comstock, L. DeHoet, E. O'Neil, J. Lynch, H. Lantz.  
 SECOND ROW: E. Farni, C. Green, R. Byrnes, J. Anderson, G. Rinehart, D. De La Hunt, P. Morgan, B. Otopalik.  
 BOTTOM ROW: K. Beresford, C. Major, G. Hartman, H. Shugart, C. Martin, P. Nichols, K. Berry.

• Varsity initiates take over for a chorus.

• Round one! Dudgeon bowls them over.

• Varsity officers take a gander with Ginger.

## Major Lettermen Constitute Varsity Club

AMES High's Varsity Club consists of major letter winners in basketball, football, golf, tennis, and track. Kenneth Wells is sponsor, and Ray Smalling is assistant sponsor.

Varsity Club activities carried on during the year include ushering at home football and basketball contests, awarding monograms to intramural managers, and sponsoring the "A" Club.

The members conduct formal and informal initiation ceremonies to receive new initiates. The most important of the social meetings is the picnic held each Memorial Day at Lake Comar.

Varsity Club officers for the past year were Harold Shugart, president; Eugene O'Neil, vice-president; George Hartman, secretary-treasurer; and Romaine Woodward, historian.





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ACQUAINTANCE  
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# Senate Formulates Plans for Seniors



Top Row: F. Manning, D. Kephart, D. Pride, V. Dyas, A. Norris.  
Middle Row: A. McCormick, M. Gilchrist, Mis. Nelson, Mr. Ritland, J. Arrasmith.  
Bottom Row: G. Hartman, L. Nichols, H. Shugart, E. O'Neil, V. O'Neil.

SENIOR Senate, which is the legislative body of the senior class, is composed of officers elected by the class, their six homeroom presidents, and one representative elected from each of their homerooms.

This group had charge of the numerous activities which climax every senior's career in high school. These varied functions make up what is known to all "eagers" of the graduating class as "Senior Week." Seniors, leaving the school in buses at 8:30 A. M. were driven to the Y. M. C. A. camp near Boone for an all-day picnic. Committees of the senior senate were in charge of the day which included games, dancing in the lodge, and many sports

which were played all day.

The annual class play, "Spring Dance," proved to be a huge success due to the fine acting of the carefully selected cast and the expert direction of L. Wayne Smith. The play was a light comedy written by Philip Barry, the author of "The Philadelphia Story."

This play financed Senior Week. Each senior was given five play tickets to sell, but personally contributed ten cents for each unsold ticket.

Presiding chairman of the Senior Senate was Harold Shugart, president of the senior class. Other officers were, Eugene O'Neil, vice president; Lynn Nichols, secretary; and Virginia O'Neil, treasurer.



# Class of 1941 Is Largest in History

DEAR SOPHOMORE:

So you want to know how to be a senior. Well, we're graduating now, and we still don't know what it's all about. We too started out as an un-united sophomore class and grew and prospered under Ames Hi Aims High.

Eleven have dropped by the wayside, but two hundred and seven seniors set a new record as the largest class ever to graduate from Ames High.

Glancing back, three years ago seems like ages. That was way back when we were in the old building, and the tardy bell rang at seven-thirty. Our pride and joy was Romaine Woodward, the only sophomore on the basketball team, and Norma Bauer arrived from Cedar Rapids.

Then we became juniors and moved into the new building. At first we were a little dazed by the maze of halls, but after several embarrassing experiences we learned our way around. Bruce Firkins was president; Eileen Dudgeon, Mary Jane Rice, and Jean Arrasmith were vice-president, secretary, and treasurer. They had charge of the Frolic that we gave for the seniors. Financing our class activities was "The Nut Farm," a light comedy which was a huge success. So passed another year.

After a summer of rest we came back for the grand finale with that customary senior attitude which makes them unbearable to students and teachers alike. Superman Harold Shugart is our president; Eugene O'Neil, our vice-president; Lynn Nichols, secretary;

and Virginia O'Neil, treasurer.

To be a successful senior you must have an ideal. We have our ideas, so we'll pass them along to you. "A" stands for academic and that essential in passing, apple polishing. Eileen Dudgeon and Clawson Cannon are masters in this art. "S" is for science and those two chemists, John Martin and Lloyd Mahone. Pray that you still have a building left, Sophomore. "E" stands for eager. That's the way we feel about getting out of here. "N" is for a newcomer, John McElhinney, who would be an addition to any senior class. "I" is for ingenuity or that ability to think up original excuses when one is late. Betty Lou Knudson can do it every time. "O" stands for oratory and that gift of gab our debaters, Don De La Hunt and Ed Wickland, have. "R" is for romance. Guess who we saw at the Frolic the other night. Peggy Rushing and Woody were together, of course, and Olive Peterson and Dick Haugen. Our vice-president, Eugene O'Neil, was seen with Ruth Miller, while our hardworking Spirit Editor, Eileen Dudgeon, celebrated with G. Sherman Rinehart. Pat Shearer and Roger Williams looked as if they were having a good time, but the surprise of the evening was Mary Jane Rice and Clawson Cannon. It's a long hard grind to the top, but don't be discouraged, Sophomore, it's not as bad as it sounds. We wish you the best of luck!

Sally and Sammie Senior





BOB ABBOT *Deceased*  
 EDITH BAIER *Deceased*  
 BETTY BERHOW  
 CLAWSON CANNON



CHAUNCEY ALCOTT  
*Elaine Barnett*  
 ELAINE BARNETT  
 FRANCIS BRADSHAW  
 DON CANTONWINE



EVELYN ANDERSON  
 ART BATES *Deceased*  
 MARTHA BRETNALL  
 VIRGINIA CARTER



*Grace*  
 JIM ANDERSON  
 NORMA BAUER  
 GRACE BROWN  
 DORIS CHASE



KENNETH ANFENSON  
 JEAN BENTON  
 LOUISE BROWN  
 AMANDA CHRISTENSON



JOHN ARNOLD  
*K.L. Beresford*  
 KENNETH BERESFORD *Deceased*  
 MARION BURK  
 DOROTHY CHRISTIANSON



JEAN ARRASMITH  
 GRACE BERG  
 CAROLYN CAMPBELL *Deceased*  
 JEAN CLARK

*Norma  
 Baier  
 Deceased*



# Seniors for Nineteen Forty-one

**Bob Abbott**, Hi-Y 1, 2 3 . . . **Edith Baier**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Betty Berhow**, G. R. 3 . . .  
**Clawson Cannon**, Hi-Y Cabinet 3; Dramatic Club 1; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; President, 3; National Honor Society 3.

**Chauncey Alcott**, Dramatic Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Elaine Barnett**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club 1, 2 . . . **Francis Bradshaw**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Don Cantonwine**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3.

**Evelyn Anderson**, Dramatic Club 2; Art Club 1; G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Art Bates**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Martha Bretnall**, G. R. Cabinet 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Vice President 2; G. A. A. President 3 . . . **Virginia Carter**, G. R. Cabinet 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; SPIRIT Staff 3.

**Jim Anderson**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Vice President 1; Activity Director 2; Secretary 2, 3; Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Norma Bauer**, Homeroom President 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; SPIRIT Staff 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Secretary 3; Quill and Scroll 3; Pep Club, 2, 3 . . . **Grace Brown**, Dramatic Club 1; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Vice President 2; Homeroom Vice President 1, 2; Junior Executive Council 2; SPIRIT Staff 3; Pep Club 3; Quill and Scroll 3; National Honor Society 3; G. R. Cabinet 3 . . . **Doris Chase**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 3; Art Club 1.

**Kenneth Anfenson**, Hi-Y 2, 3 . . . **Jean Benton**, G. R. 1, 2; Library Club 1, 2 . . . **Louise Brown**, Girls' Glee Club 1; G. R. 1, 2, 3; Debate Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Junior Class Play; National Honor Society 3; Quill and Scroll 3 . . . **Amanda Christensen**, G. R. 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3; Girls' Glee Club 2.

**John Arnold**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Kenneth Beresford**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Fire Squad 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1; Dance Band 2, 3; Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Marion Burk**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 3; Intramural Manager 2 . . . **Dorothy Christianson**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2; Homeroom Vice President 1; Secretary 2.

**Jean Arrasmith**, Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Librarian 3; Student Council Treasurer 3; Junior Class Treasurer; Homeroom President 3; Senior Senate 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Quill and Scroll 3; G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Grace Berg**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Carolyn Campbell**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3 . . . **Jean Clark**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; G. R. 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2.



# Seniors for Nineteen Forty-one

**Harold Clemens**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Art Club 1 . . . **Betty Lou Comstock**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club 1, 2 . . . **Katherine Cox**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3 . . . **Doris Dempsey**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club 1, 2, 3.

**Janet Clyde**, Homeroom President 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; SPIRIT Staff 1, 2; G. R. Cabinet 2; President 3; Quill and Scroll 2, 3; Secretary 3; National Honor Society 3 . . . **Ellery Comstock**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Art Club 2; Varsity Club 3 . . . **Elinor Crump**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Hollis Duecker**, Hi-Y 3.

**Fred Cody**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Denise Conroy**, G. R. 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2 . . . **Bill Cushing**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 3 . . . **Louise De Vries**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

**Jo Ann Cole**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club 1, 2, 3 . . . **Dorothy Cook**, G. R. 3; Girls' Glee Club 3 . . . **Avis Darner**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club 2, 3 . . . **Duane Dirksen**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Art Club 1, 2; Homeroom Secretary 1; Dramatic Club 2.

**Virgil Cole**, Hi-Y 3 . . . **Mary Cook**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Thelma Deal**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Eileen Dudgeon**, G. R. Cabinet 2; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Vice President 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Junior Class Vice President; SPIRIT Staff 2; Editor 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Quill and Scroll 2, 3, Treasurer 3.

**Kenneth Coleman**, Hi-Y 3; Band 3 . . . **Ray Cook**, Hi-Y 2, 3; Homeroom Activity Director 2; Vice President 3; Varsity Club 3 . . . **Leonard De Hoet**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Vice President 3; Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Virginia Dyas**, Dramatic Club 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Homeroom Secretary 2; Vice President 3; Senior Senate 3; G. R. Cabinet 2; SPIRIT Staff 3.

**Mary Jean Combs**, G. R. 2, 3 . . . **Marilee Cooper**, G. R. 1, 2; Library Club 1 . . . **Don De La Hunt**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Debate Club 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Activity Director 3; SPIRIT Staff 2, 3; Varsity Club 3 . . . **Marilyn Dykes**, G. R. 1, 2, 3.



HAROLD CLEMENS

BETTYLOU COMSTOCK

KATHERINE COX

DORIS DEMPSEY *Deceased*



*Bettylou*

*Katherine*

JANET CLYDE *Deceased*

ELLERY COMSTOCK

ELINOR CRUMP

HOLLIS DUECKER



FRED CODY

DENISE CONROY

BILL CUSHING

LOUISE DE VRIES



JO ANN COLE

DOROTHY COOK

AVIS DARNER *Deceased*

DUANE DIRKSEN



*Duane Dirksen*

VIRGIL COLE

MARY COOK

THELMA DEAL

EILEEN DUDGEON



KENNETH COLEMAN

RAY COOK *Ray Cook*

LEONARD DE HOET

VIRGINIA DYAS



MARY JEAN COMBS

MARILEE COOPER

DON DE LA HUNT *Deceased*

MARILYN DYKES







*Flahive*  
 THOMAS ELBERT  
*Deceased* JACK FLAHIVE *Jack Flahive*  
 HELEN GOWEN  
 CORAL HANSON



PHIL ELDRIDGE  
 BOB FLAUHER *Deceased*  
 CLYDE GREEN  
 GEORGE HARTMAN



JOHN ENGELDINGER *Deceased*  
 INGRID FLOGSTAD  
 GEORGE GRIDER *Deceased*  
 DICK HAUGEN *Deceased*

*Ericksen*



JOHN ERICKSON  
 VENETA FOREMAN  
 DORIS GRIFFITH  
 MARJORIE HEIN *Marjorie Hein*



CHARLOTTE FARREN *Farren*  
 BOB FRIEDRICH  
 MARGARET GROSS  
 DELORIS JOHNSON



BRUCE FIRKINS  
 LEOTA GERDES *Leota*  
*Deceased* GERTRUDE HAIN  
 EVELYN JOHNSON



MILFORD FJARE *Milford Fjare*  
 MARY GILCHRIST *Deceased*  
 BARBARA HALL  
 LILLIAN JOHNSON



# Seniors for Nineteen Forty-one

**Thomas Elbert**, Hi-Y 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 2, 3 . . . **Jack Flahive**, Hi-Y 2, 3 . . . **Helen Gowen**, Dramatic Club, 2; G. R. Cabinet 3; Homeroom Secretary 2; Pep Club 1, 3; SPIRIT Staff 3; Quill and Scroll 3 . . . **Coral Hanson**, G. R. 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 2; Mixed Chorus 2, 3.

**Phil Eldredge**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3 . . . **Bob Flauher**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1; Dance Band 1, 2 . . . **Clyde Green**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Varsity Club 3 . . . **George Hartman**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Secretary 1; Vice President 2; President 3; Student Council President 3; Varsity Club 2, 3; National Honor Society 3; Senior Senate 3.

**John Engeldinger**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Ingrid Flogstad**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Art Club 1 . . . **George Grider**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Dick Haugen**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 2; Dance Band 3; Homeroom Vice President 1; President 2; Junior Class Play.

**John Erickson**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 2, 3; President 3; Homeroom Vice President 1; President 3; Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Veneta Foreman**, G. R. 2 . . . **Doris Griffith**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Marjorie Hein**, G. R. Cabinet 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Librarian 2; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2; Art Club 1; Homeroom Vice President 3; Pep Club 3; Senior Senate 3.

**Charlotte Farren**, G. R. 2, 3 . . . **Bob Freidrich**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Varsity Club 3 . . . **Margaret Gross**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Deloris Johnson** G. R. 3.

**Bruce Firkins**, Dramatic Club 1, 2; Hi-Y Cabinet 2; Secretary 3; Mixed Chorus 3; Boys' Glee Club 3; Homeroom President 1; Activity Director 2; Junior Class President; SPIRIT Staff 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; President 3; Quill and Scroll 2, 3 . . . **Leota Gerdes**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Gertrude Hain**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Secretary 2 . . . **Evelyn Johnson**, G. R. 1, 2, 3.

**Milford Fjare**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Art Club 1 . . . **Mary Gilchrist**, G. R. Cabinet 3; Homeroom Secretary 2; Vice President 3; Pep Club 3; Senior Senate 3 . . . **Barbara Hall**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Library Club 2, 3; Vice President 3 . . . **Lillian Johnson**, G. R. 3.



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**Peggy Kater**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 2; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Vice President 3; Band 3 . . .  
**Betty Lou Knudson**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Junior Class Play; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2,  
 . . . **Delores Landers**, G. R. 3; Girls' Glee Club 3 . . . **Ann McCormick**, G. R. Cabinet 2; Secre-  
 tary 3; Homeroom Activity Director 1; Secretary 2; President 3; SPIRIT Staff 2; Senior Senate  
 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Quill and Scroll 2, 3; President 3.

**Betty Kellogg**, G. R. 2, 3; Homeroom Activity Director 3 . . . **Darlene Knuths**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Art  
 Club 1 . . . **Harvey Lantz**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Earl McCoy**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3.

**Lucille Keigley**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Mary Beth Keontz**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club, 2, 3; Secretary 3  
 . . . **Margi Lawlor**, G. R. Cabinet 3; Dramatic Club 2; Band 1, 2, 3; Secretary 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3  
 . . . **Elizabeth McCoy**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1; Library Club 1.

**Dar Kephart**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Senior Senate 3; Homeroom President 3; Varsity Club 3 . . . **Phyllis**  
**Krajicek**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3 . . . **Bernice Leland**, G. R. 1,  
 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3 . . . **Marjorie McHone**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee  
 Club 1; Library Club 1.

**Deloris Kephart**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club 1; Homeroom Activity Director 3; G. A. A. Secretary  
 3 . . . **Dale Kroesen**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Class Play; Homeroom Vice Presi-  
 dent 1, 2; Secretary 1; National Honor Society 3 . . . **Kenneth Lewis**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club  
 2; Fire Squad 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3 . . . **Victoria McKibben**, G. R. Cabinet 3; Girls' Glee Club 1,  
 2; President 2; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Secretary 3; National Honor Society 3.

**Courtney Kimler**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 1 . . . **Betty Kulow**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Secre-  
 tary 2 . . . **Ruth Jean Lorch**, G. R. Cabinet 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 1; Homeroom  
 Activity Director 1; SPIRIT Staff 3; Pep Club 3 . . . **John Madson**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Presi-  
 dent 2.

**Bill Kingkade**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Debate Club 1, 2 . . . **Juanita LaDassor**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club  
 . . . **James Lynch**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Class Play; Varsity Club 3 . . .  
**Lloyd Mahone**, Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Vice President 2; Debate Club 2; Homeroom President 1, 2,  
 Band 2, 3; Dance Band 3; Fire Squad 1, 2, 3; SPIRIT Staff 2; Hi-Y President 2, 3; National Honor  
 Society 2, 3.



PEGGY KATER

BETTY LOU KNUDSON

DELORES LANDERS

ANN MCCORMICK

*Delores Landers*



BETTY KELLOGG

DARLENE KNUTHS

HARVEY LANTZ

EARL MCCOY

*Deceased*



LUCILLE KEIGLEY

MARY BETH KOONTZ

MARGI LAWLOR

ELIZABETH MCCOY

*Deceased*

*Dar Kephart*

DAR KEPHART

PHILLIS KRAJICEK

BERNICE LELAND

MARJORIE MCHONE

*Deceased*



*Elizabeth*

DELORIS KEPHART

DALE KROESEN

KENNETH LEWIS

VICTORIA MCKIBBEN

*Deceased*

*Ken Lewis*



DELORIS KEPHART

DALE KROESEN

KENNETH LEWIS

VICTORIA MCKIBBEN

COURTNEY KIMLER

BETTY KULOW

RUTH JEAN LORCH

JOHN MADSON

*Betty*

*John Madson*



COURTNEY KIMLER

BETTY KULOW

RUTH JEAN LORCH

JOHN MADSON

BILL KINGKADE

JUANITA LADASSOR

JAMES LYNCH

LLOYD MAHONE

*Bill Kingkade*







CHARLES MAJOR  
*Minna Mezvinsky*  
MINNA MEZVINSKY

MILLIE MORRISON

PAUL NICHOLS

*Paul Nichols*



FRANCES MANNING

GWENDOLYN MILLER

ROBERT MORRISON

ANNA KAY NORRIS

*1306 Morrison*



CARL MARTIN

RUTH MILLER

JACK MOYE

BOB NUTTY

*Leander McKnight*



*John Martin*  
JOHN MARTIN

DOW MITCHELL

DAVID MUMM

BOB OLIVE

*Deceased Dow Mitchell*  
*Deceased*



MARY MARTIN

MARIAN MITCHELL

BOB NEFF

GLADYS OLSON

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EUGENE MATSEN

PAUL MORGAN

BOB NELSON

HELEN OLSON

*Paul Morgan*  
*Deceased*  
*Helen*



MARYANN MERRICK

SHIRLEY MORRIS

LYNN NICHOLS

EUGENE O'NEIL

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*Carl Martin*



# Seniors for Nineteen Forty-one

**Charles Major**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; SPIRIT Staff 2, Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Minna Mezvinsky**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Cabinet 3; Pep Club 2, 3 . . . **Millie Morrison**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Paul Nichols**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 1, 2; Homeroom Vice President 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3; Varsity Club 2, 3.

**Frances Manning**, G. R. Cabinet 3; Homeroom Vice President 2; President 3; Student Council Secretary 3; Pep Club 3; Senior Senate 3 . . . **Gwendolyn Miller**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2; Dramatic Club 3 . . . **Robert Morrison**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Junior Class Play; Homeroom President 2; National Honor Society 3 . . . **Anna Kay Norris**, Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; G. R. Cabinet 3; Homeroom Vice President 3; Cheer Squad 3; Senior Senate 3.

**Carl Martin**, Homeroom President 2; Boys' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Intramural Manager 2; Varsity Club 2, 3; Hi-Y Treasurer 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3 . . . **Ruth Miller**, G. R. Cabinet 2; President 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2; Junior Class Play; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2; Homeroom President 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. Secretary 2; National Honor Society 2, 3; Treasurer 3 . . . **Jack Moye**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Bob Nutty**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1; Debate Club 2, 3; Homeroom Secretary 3.

**John Martin**, Hi-Y Cabinet 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; President 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Vice President 2; Dance Band 1, 2, 3; Fire Squad 1, 2, 3; Homeroom President 1; Junior Executive Council 2; SPIRIT Staff 2, 3; Quill and Scroll 2, 3; Vice President 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Vice President 3 . . . **Dow Mitchell**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **David Mumm**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; . . . **Bob Olive**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Activity Director 1, 2.

**Mary Martin**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1; Band 3; Homeroom Secretary 3 . . . **Marian Mitchell**, G. R. 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 2; Homeroom Secretary 3 . . . **Bob Neff**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Gladys Olson**, G. R. 1, 2, 3.

**Eugene Matsen**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 1 . . . **Paul Morgan**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Vice President 2; Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Bob Nelson**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Activity Director 3; Varsity Club 2, 3 . . . **Helen Olson**, G. R. 1, 2, 3.

**Maryann Merrick**, G. R. Cabinet 2; Dramatic Club 2; Homeroom Vice President 1; President 1, 2; Pep Club 2, 3 . . . **Shirley Morris**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3 . . . **Lynn Nichols**, G. R. Cabinet 2; Dramatic Club 1; Junior Class Play; Homeroom Vice President 1; President 2; Pep Club 2, 3; President 3; Student Council Secretary 1, 2; Senior Senate 3; Senior Class Secretary; National Honor Society 3 . . . **Eugene O'Neil**, Homeroom President 1; Hi-Y Vice President 2, 3; Senior Senate 3; Senior Class Vice-president; Varsity Club 2, 3; Vice President 3.



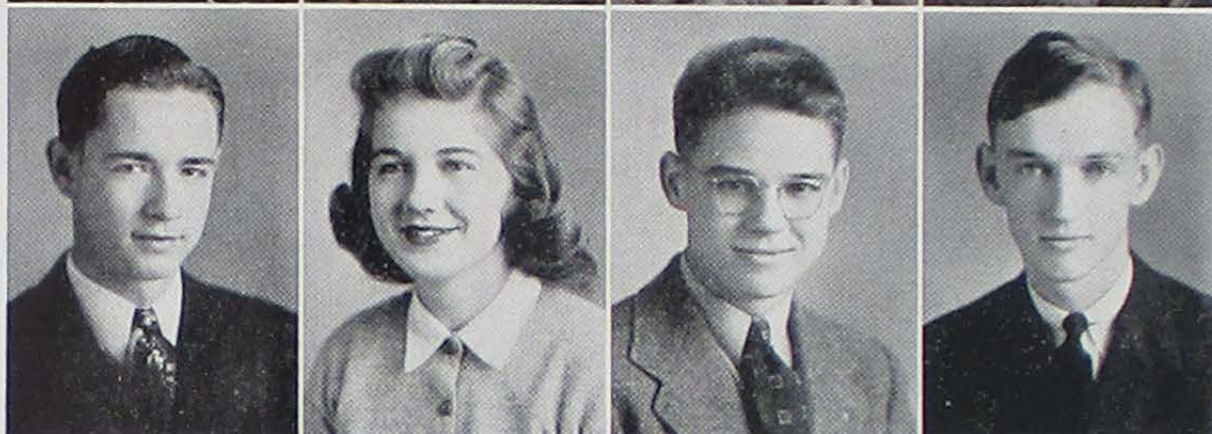
*Gracie*



HAROLD SHUGART  
GRACE SWANSON  
ROSETTA TICE  
JAMES WARREN



ERWIN SMITH  
EVERETT TAYLOR *Deceased*  
EDYTHE TODD  
DICK WEARTH



*Ken Smith*  
KENNETH SMITH *Deceased*  
MARGARET TAYLOR  
DAVID TRUEBLOOD  
OLIN WELLHOUSE *Deceased*  
*Olin Wellhouse*



*Deceased*  
LORRAINE SPECK  
*Deceased* RICHARD TAYLOR *Richard Taylor*  
ELEANOR ULLESTAD  
*James Westervelt* JAMES WESTERVELT



DOROTHY SPRATT  
ROBERT TAYLOR *Deceased*  
ANN UTTER  
GERALD WESTWICK



HARRIET STEEL  
IVON TEETER  
*Bob Wallace*  
BOB WALLACE  
RUTH WETTER



ALBERTA STEINBERG  
KATHLEEN THOMPSON *Deceased*  
DOROTHY WARREN  
MURL WHATOFF

*Harriet*



# Seniors for Nineteen Forty-one

**Harold Shugart**, Hi-Y Cabinet 2, 3; Homeroom President 1, 2; Varsity Club 2, 3; President 2; Art Club 1; Senior Senate 3; Senior Class President . . . **Grace Swanson**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library 2 . . . **Rosetta Tice**, G. R. 1, 2; Library Club 2 . . . **James Warren** Hi-Y 3; Dramatic Club 3.

**Ervin Smith**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Everett Taylor**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Edythe Todd**, G. R.; Cabinet 3; Debate Club 1; Dramatic Club 2; **Dick Wearth**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3.

**Kenneth Smith**, Hi-Y 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 2 . . . **Margaret Taylor**, G. R. Cabinet 2; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2; Secretary 1; President 2; Band 1, 2, 3; Secretary 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. Council 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3 . . . **David Trueblood**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Olin Wellhouse**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3.

**Lorraine Speck**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Cabinet 3; Dramatic Club 1; Library Club 1 . . . **Richard Taylor**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 1, 2 . . . **Eleanor Ullestad**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 3 . . . **James Westervelt**, Hi-Y 3.

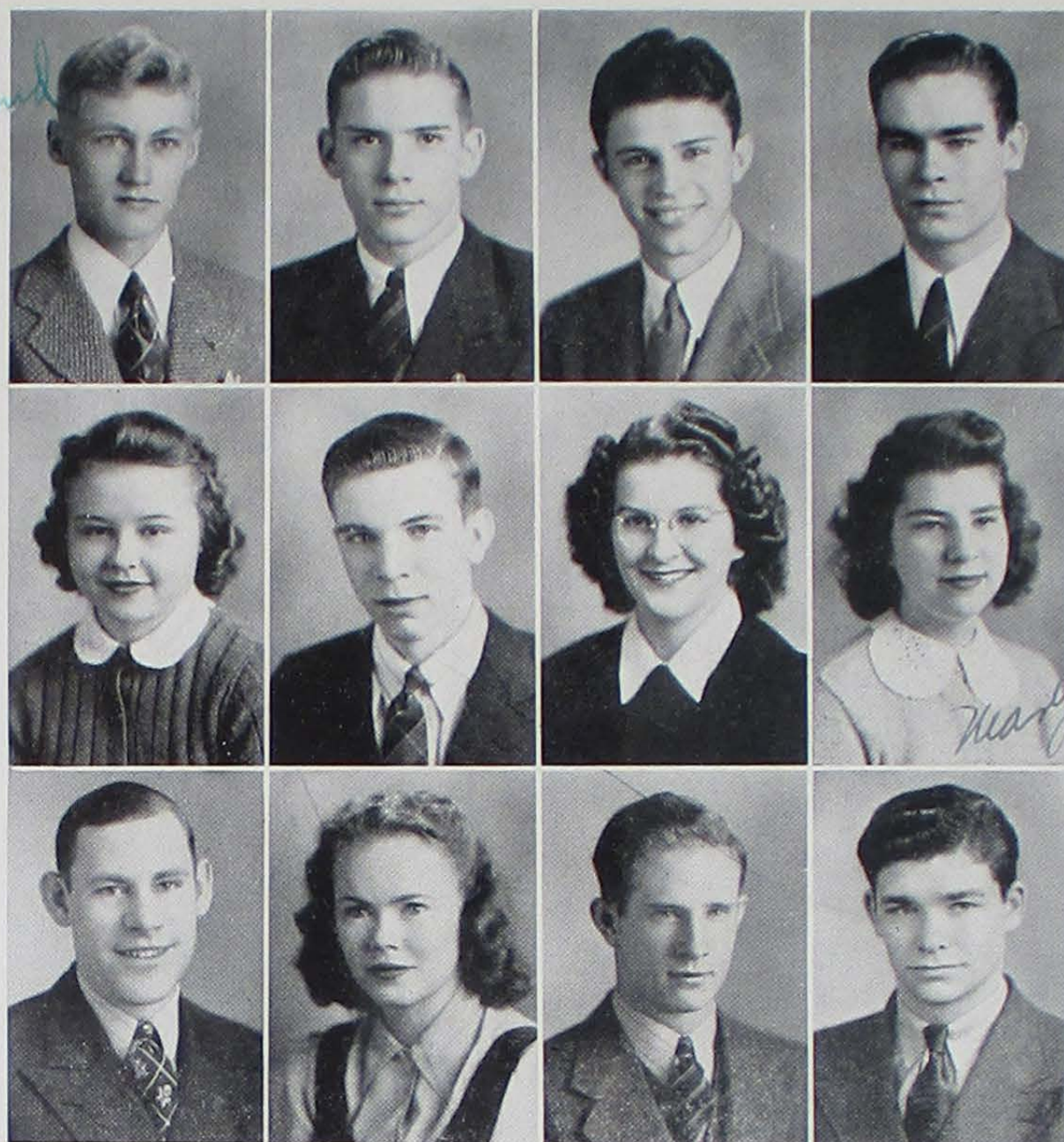
**Dorothy Spratt**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3 . . . **Robert Taylor**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1; Boys' Glee Club 1; Fire Squad 1, 2 . . . **Ann Utter**, G. R. 2, 3; Band 2; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3 . . . **Gerald Westwick**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3.

**Harriet Steel**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2; Art Club 1; Homeroom Secretary 3 . . . **Ivon Teeter**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Art Club 1; Dramatic Club 2; Library Club, 2, 3; President 3 . . . **Bob Wallace**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Ruth Wetter**, G. R. 3.

**Alberta Steinberg**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2 . . . **Kathleen Thompson**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2; Homeroom Secretary 1; Cheer Squad 3 . . . **Dorothy Warren**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Library Club 2 . . . **Murl Whatoff**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3.



*Ed Wickland*



ED WICKLAND  
ROGER WILLIAMS  
ROMAINE WOODWARD  
DON YOUNG

CORINNE WIERSON  
KEITH WILLIBY  
HELEN WORTMAN  
MARJORIE ZEA

BOB CLARK  
MARIAN WILLIS  
DICK WRIGHT  
LYLE RAY

*↑ died 4/20/95*

**Ed Wickland**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Debate Club 1, 2, 3 . . . **Roger Williams**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 2, 3; Robe Keeper 3; SPIRIT Staff 2; Varsity Club 3; Fire Squad 2, 3 . . . **Romaine Woodward**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom President 2; Varsity Club 1, 2, 3 . . . **Don Young**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3.

**Corinne Wierson**, G. R. 1, 2, 3 . . . **Keith Williby**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3 . . . **Helen Wortman**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Activity Director 2 . . . **Marjorie Zea**, G. R. 1, 2, 3.

**Lyle Ray**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Activity Director 2 . . . **Marian Willis**, G. R. 1, 2, 3; Cabinet 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2; Dramatic Club 3; Homeroom Secretary 3 . . . **Dick Wright**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Cabinet 2, 3 . . . **Bob Clark**, Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 3; Homeroom Activity Director 1.

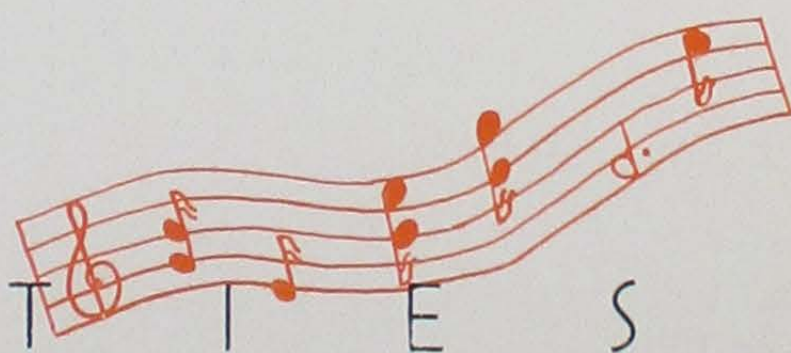
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"EVERYBODY'S  
DOIN' IT"

A C T I V I T I E S





## 25 MEMBERS OF SPIRIT STAFF SPEN



- Must be funny, judging from the smiles of Tass, Eileen, and Jady as they look over snapshots.
- Don tells Dona and Browne just how to "sell yourself" before selling an ad to a customer.

- Nickey, Bill, and Pat prove that good, efficient business people are supposed to be able to write.
- Dick and John put the film in there, treat it, pray, and the picture comes out here. (They hope)

**A**PPROXIMATELY 1,300 hours were spent by the staff members led by Eileen Dudgeon, editor, in producing the 1941 Spirit. Eileen was assisted by Kathleen Hein and Janet Yoder in mounting pictures, editing copy, and writing headlines. Mr. Harms served as sponsor of the staff.

The Spirit publicity assembly held in November started the 1941 Spirit sales

campaign. A skit patterned after a radio broadcast, in which all the staff took part, was followed by short talks by the editor, business manager, senior editor, and the introduction of the staff. Slogan for the super-salesmen led by Patsy Shearer, business manager, Nickey Lindstrom, and Bill Buck, her assistants, was "That's the Spirit, Buy the Spirit."



# ABOUT 1,300 HOURS ON ANNUAL

Directing the advertising was Don De La Hunt, assisted by Dona Sauvain and Browne Otopalik. The organization editor, Norma Bauer, and assistant, Frances Kerekes, got copy and legends for group pictures. Editors for their respective classes were: Helen Gowen, senior; John Rice, junior; Justine Brintnall, sophomore.

The extensive art work, cartoons, and snapshots throughout the yearbook were done by Olive Peterson, art editor,

Lila Mae Hummel, her assistant, John Martin, snapshot editor, and assistant, Dick Fye. Much outside work was required in these departments.

Mary Jane Rice was girls' athletic editor, and Bruce Firkins served in the same capacity for boys' athletics. Grace Brown was feature editor.

Proof readers for the annual were Virginia Carter, senior, and Ruth Jean Lorch. Typists were Virginia Dyas and Guy Rinehart.

- Guy chuckles over Virginia Dyas's typing, and Ruth Jean checks with Virginia Carter about the proof.
- "At ease" might be the caption that we could put under this picture of Mary Jane, Grace, and Bruce.

- "Don't you think that line should be changed?" Olive asks Lila Mae as they discuss some cartoon.
- Informally discussing their copy problems in Spirit are Frances, Norma, John, Justine and Helen.





# Club Sponsors Record Red Cross Drive



TOP ROW: C. Martin, R. Morrison, G. Hartman, D. Kroesen, L. Mahone, D. Pride.  
 SECOND ROW: P. Shearer, L. Nichols, M. J. Rice, V. O'Neil, J. Clyde, V. McKibben, G. Brown, J. Arrasmith.  
 BOTTOM ROW: E. Dudgeon, N. Bauer, J. Martin, Miss Wilcox, Miss Spatz, B. Firkins, R. Miller, L. Brown.

• Ruth looks the perfect hostess as George does his initiation stunt.

• Pat serves as poll judge at election.

• John and Mr. Young concentrate, and Virginia reads a poem.

**N**ATIONAL Honor Society sponsored a Red Cross drive collecting \$63.10 and enrolling 548 senior high students in the Junior Red Cross.

Students in the upper one-third of their class are eligible for this society, and members are chosen by faculty members according to leadership, scholarship, character, and outstanding service to their school.

New members were initiated twice during the year at formal candle-light ceremonies preceded by informal dinners. The club sponsored a mock election in November, Willkie taking the majority.

Officers were, Bruce Firkins, president; John Martin, vice-president; Norma Bauer, secretary; Ruth Miller, treasurer. Miss Lelah Spatz and Miss Edna Wilcox are the sponsors.



# Society Recognizes Journalistic Ability

**H**ILARIOUS informal initiations followed by more formal ceremonies were held twice by Quill and Scroll members during the year.

Under the faculty sponsorship of Miss Edna Wilcox, the local organization conducted meetings every other Monday afternoon.

The society, an international journalistic honorary, with 2,500 chapters in

the world, includes students who have done outstanding work on the Spirit or Ames High Weekly Web staffs and are in the upper one-fourth of their class. The initiates are announced in specially called assemblies.

Officers of the society were Ann McCormick, president; John Martin, vice-president; Janet Clyde, secretary; and Eileen Dudgeon, treasurer.

Top Row: L. Brown, N. Bauer, P. Shearer, J. Arrasmith, G. Brown, H. Gowen.  
Bottom Row: B. Firkins, A. McCormick, J. Clyde, Miss Wilcox, J. Martin, E. Dudgeon.



• Initiates Helen, Norma and Jean wear paper pins.

• "Sweet Adeline" chirps Norma.

• "Yum Yum" thinks Helen with her tongue in her cheek.



# Girl Reserves and Hi-Y



TOP ROW: M. Mezvinsky, R. Lorch, J. Yoder, L. Speck, L. Hummel, N. Lindstrom, M. Bretnall, D. Sauvain.

SECOND ROW: O. Peterson, E. Butler, B. Dunlap, V. McKibben, J. Arrasmith, G. Brown, V. Carter, E. Todd.

THIRD ROW: M. Willis, M. Lawlor, M. Hein, Miss Thutt, Miss White, M. Gilchrist, V. Dyas, F. Kerekes.

BOTTOM ROW: H. Gowen, V. O'Neil, M. Rice, A. McCormick, J. Clyde, R. Miller, A. Norris,

TOP ROW: D. Pride, W. Forman, J. Martin, J. Lynch.

SECOND ROW: J. Rice, J. Pinney, C. Iverson, B. Otopalik, W. Cunningham, C. Martin.

BOTTOM ROW: J. Galligan, B. Buck, Mr. Swedell, L. Mahone, B. Firkins.



REVEREND James J. Davies of Ft. Dodge was the speaker for Friendship Week, an important event sponsored jointly by Girl Reserves and Hi-Y. Assemblies were held each morning in addition to class forums.

Girl Reserve social events were the New Students' Party, the monthly birthday parties, a dues party, and the Big Pal-Little Pal picnic.

Officers for the year were Janet Clyde, president first semester, vice-president second; Ruth Miller, vice-president first semester, president second; Mary Jane Rice, treasurer; Ann McCormick, secretary. Miss White and Miss Thutt are sponsors.

- Ruth Miller looks longingly at Mary Jane Rice's place. Does it look good, Ruthie?
- Chefs supreme, Firkins and Gilkey toss up some hot dogs at the Boone game.

- Miss White and Miss Thutt partake at cabinet supper.
- Mr. Swedell and Smalling survey the new cabinet.
- Carrold and Carl tie the county home boxes.

THE Ames Hi-Y is one of the few in the state in which every boy in school is a member. Its aim and pledge is *to create, maintain, and extend high standards of character.*

Activities of the Hi-Y are the Friendship Conference, fire-sides, and Parent-Son Night.

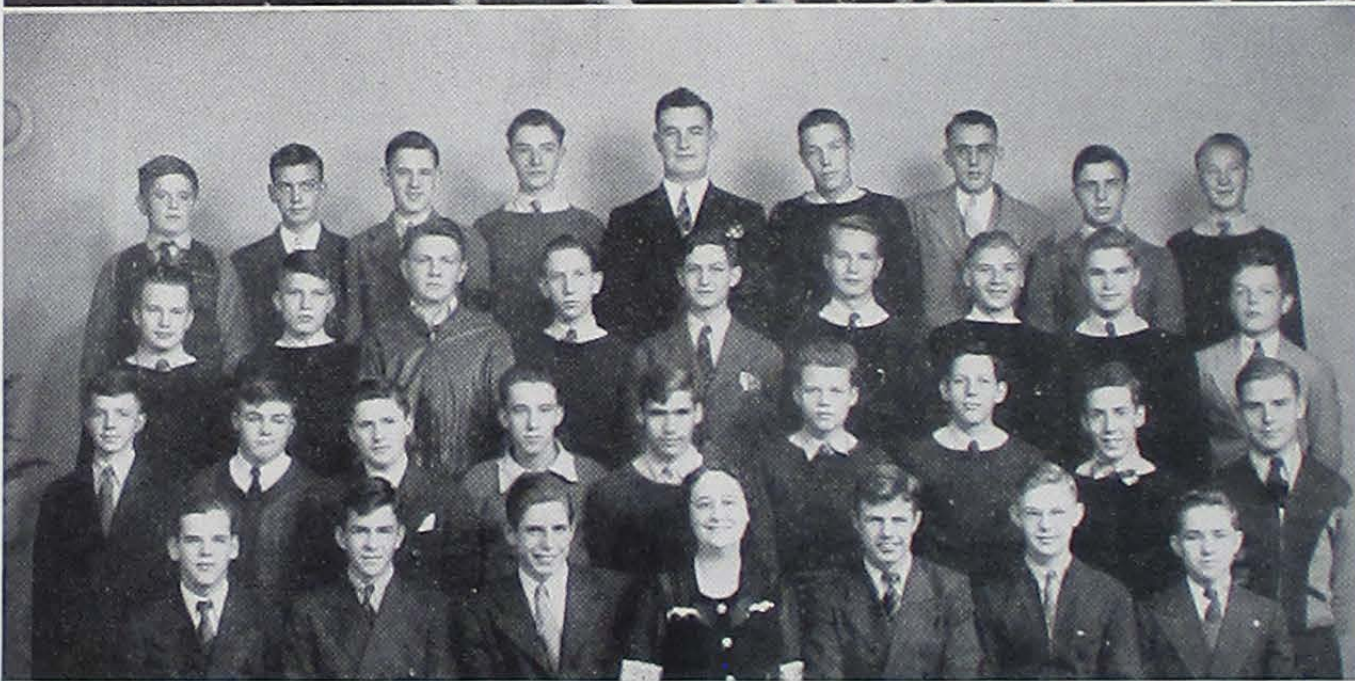
Officers for the first semester were Lloyd Mahone, president; Bill Buck, vice-president; Bruce Firkins, secretary; Carl Martin, treasurer; for the second semester, Bill Buck, president; Jerry Galligan, vice-president; Keith Berry, secretary; Jack Pinney, treasurer. Faculty advisors are Bernard Swedell and Ray Smalling.

- Prexy Mahone carries on. Behind those other smiles are Bill and Bruce.
- More boxes for the home, but this time, Bev. and Ruth take over.





*Charlene*



# Glee Clubs Appear At Union; Present Program For Mothers

TOP Row: B. Jackson, Z. Leininger, H. Van Vlack, B. West, S. Lewis, M. Dodds, H. Nichols, S. Dunagan, R. McDonald, B. Miller.

SECOND Row: R. Wood, B. Valline, L. Roberg, M. Quist, B. McCoy, B. Patterson, W. Otto, M. Griffith, M. Baker, C. Thornton, A. Turner.

THIRD Row: G. Anderson, D. Cook, J. Thomas, J. Brintnall, D. Queal, D. Hamilton, D. Matson, W. Geiger, R. Anderson, E. Kenfield.

BOTTOM Row: R. Wetter, D. McKibben, C. Smith, V. Carter, Miss Bower, M. Rothacker, M. Larson, L. Alexander, V. Kulow.

TOP Row: B. Dunlap, B. Pickell, B. Baustian, M. Rice, B. Quandahl, R. Midgorden, C. Hendrickson, B. Leland, A. Utter, L. DeVries, E. Anderson, E. Zimmerman.

SECOND Row: D. Martin, D. Barnes, H. Breckenridge, P. Hovde, K. McDonald, M. Borgmeyer, N. Young, R. Taylor, J. Remley, P. Krajicek, B. Clarke, A. Gilman.

THIRD Row: A. Shipp, I. Knuths, B. Rynkiewitz, K. Boland, G. Brown, J. Arrasmith, B. LaVelle, I. Turpin, B. Knudson, B. Butler, F. Kerekes, C. Grant.

BOTTOM Row: D. Porter, P. O'Donnell, M. Bretnall, G. Lind, Miss Bower, K. Cox, E. Dudgeon, A. Norris, H. Twogood.

TOP Row: M. Soma, E. Cox, W. Reed, B. Mahone, W. Forman, E. Matsen, R. Taylor, C. Martin, S. Sjurson.

SECOND Row: K. Bell, D. Yeomans, R. Paulson, T. Elbert, R. Wood, G. Peterson, H. Morrison, K. Berry, B. Firkins.

THIRD Row: B. Maakestad, C. Monahan, L. Willson, S. B. Larson, E. Kauffman, R. Jondall, E. Ritts, E. Feldman, unidentified.

BOTTOM Row: W. Cunningham, G. Tripp, C. Iverson, Miss Bower, Erickson, G. Whitfield, P. Vance.





- From the altos, Cox and Butler add their bit.
- Ann Utter and Dorothy Porter sing second.

- Glee Clubs perform at the Hotel for the Rotary Club.
- Boy's double quartet warms up a bit before going on.

- McDonald and LaVelle raise the pitch.
- More voices join the chorus.

**G**IRLS' Glee Clubs presented a concert for the Women's Club at the Union on December 11. The clubs participated with Boone and Fort Dodge in the Tri-City Festival held at Boone in May.

The girls met during the week, with Miss Edna Bower, studying music fundamentals, music appreciation, and the forming of scales. Two sextets and a triple trio were formed and furnished music for church and school programs.

Officers were: Second Period Glee Club—Ruth McDonald, president; Ruth Wood, vice-president; Joyce Thomas, secretary; and Dora McKibben, librarian.

Sixth Period Glee Club—Mary Jane Rice, president; Eileen Dudgeon, vice-president; Cleone Grant, secretary; Jean Arrasmith, librarian.

**A**S a departure from the usual type of organization, Boys' Glee Club voted not to take part in programs as a body this year, but to be represented by small vocal groups alone. It was decided to sing primarily for enjoyment in the classroom, using four part songs such as Negro Spirituals, light classics, fun songs, and folk songs.

For those who wished to go farther—to improve their singing and participate in programs—there were many opportunities, since boys who were outstanding in Glee Club were chosen for Mixed Chorus, where they sang more advanced music.

Officers elected were: John Erickson, president; Carrold Iverson, vice-president; Keith Berry, secretary; and George Peterson, librarian. The club met twice weekly under the direction of Miss Edna Bower.



# Band and Orchestra Give Spring Concerts

AMES High's orchestra, with Boone and Fort Dodge, participated in the Tri-City Music Festival held at Boone under the direction of George Dasch, conductor and composer.

Directed by Mr. Day, the sixty piece orchestra presented its spring concert, a high school program, and a WOI broadcast. A new oboe and bass viol were added to the instrumentation.

Many students participated in the home solo contest. The theatre orchestra played for Baccalaureate, plays, and Commencement. String, saxophone, and cornet quartets were organized.

Officers of the organization were Robert Allbaugh, president; Peggy Kater, vice-president; Victoria McKibben, secretary-treasurer; Norma Shellito, librarian.

LEADING the marching band down the field were the drum major and five flashy twirlers with new uniforms. Besides playing at the home games, the marching band made a trip to North High in Des Moines and thrilled the fans there with their formations.

The 62 piece concert band gave its spring concert in the auditorium on the evening of March 28 to a capacity crowd. The high school students enjoyed an assembly given by the band in the spring. A WOI broadcast was given, and the Thursday night summer concerts in the municipal music pavilion were opened by the band in May.

Concert band officers were: John Martin, president; Bill Buck, vice-president; Margaret Taylor, secretary-treasurer; Wayne Bourne, librarian.

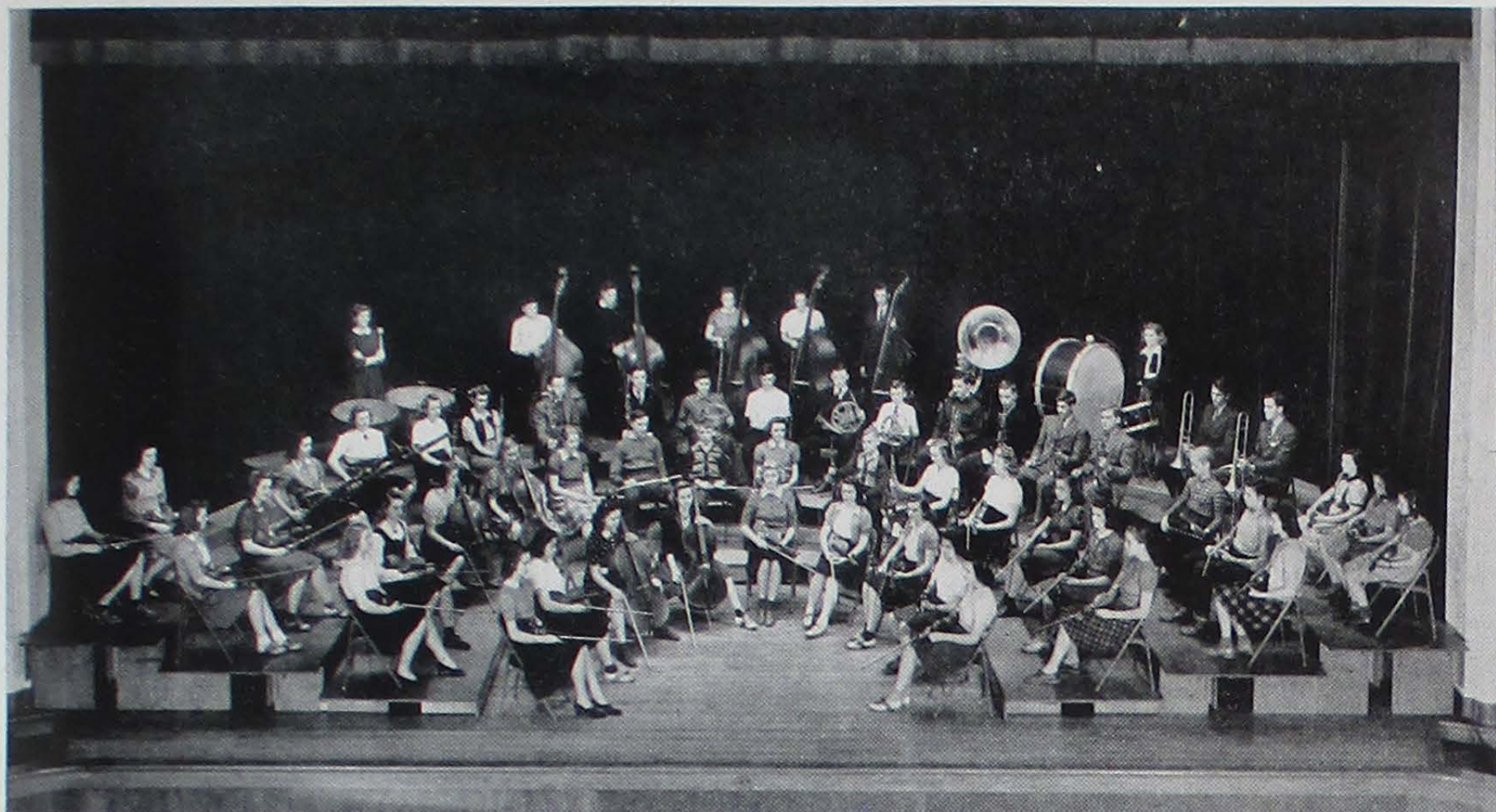
- Eldredge and Lewis beat it out eight to the bar.
- Marching band sits one out at the Boone-Ames game.

- Playin' on the big horns are Allbaugh and Beresford.
- Lloyd and Ken Wing plays his drums.

- Hepcats Mahone and Shellito on the clarinets.
- Martin and Burk lead the "slush-pumpers."







TOP Row: J. Yoder, M. Lush, M. Taylor, R. Johnson, H. Elliot, Z. Leininger, P. Kater, B. Stafford, B. Allbaugh, D. Carr, M. Burk, J. Martin, D. Kershner, E. Chase, E. Stock.

SECOND Row: P. Pride, B. Clauson, E. Grant, M. Lawlor, E. Ullestad, N. Shellito, J. Brouhard, B. Mahone, J. Holmes, E. Sjolander, B. Sills, K. Wing, D. Walten, O. Shadel, B. Buck, B. Sleichter, F. Halden, C. Brandner, E. Dunlap.

THIRD Row: G. Lauer, D. Merrill, M. Meads, B. Edenburn, K. McClelland, B. Ross, D. Hausrath, D. McKibben, W. Wymore, V. Busby, B. Baustian, M. Riggs, F. O'Neil, M. McKelvey.

BOTTOM Row: V. McKibben, B. Jackson, J. Jackson, A. Gilman, R. Midgorden, M. Baker, D. Chase, M. Burk, H. Westervelt.

TOP Row: L. Kester, J. Cook, D. Walton, C. Campbell, M. Martin, B. Sills, L. Mahone, P. Kater, P. Vance, J. Larson, B. DeHart, B. Allbaugh, K. Beresford, M. Taylor, D. Carr, M. DeFore, B. Price, V. Carter, D. Matson, M. Jones, M. Burk, C. Riggs, J. Martin.

SECOND Row: E. Ullestad, A. Paulson, S. Morris, D. Yeomans, B. Ragsdale, B. Swanson, B. Flauher, B. Buck, J. Rice, B. Sleichter, O. Shadle, E. Burton, B. Maakestad, B. Peterson, P. Eldredge, K. Lewis, D. Conroy, W. Bourne, B. Grant, M. Lawlor.

THIRD Row: J. Brouhard, D. Reynolds, L. Diehl, E. Darlington, J. Holmes, E. Sjolander, K. Wing, B. Moore, J. Iversen, G. Bourne, A. Hausrath, W. Forman, W. Wymore, V. Busby.

BOTTOM Row: B. Mahone, N. Shellito, J. Galligan, E. Ross, I. Bechtel, B. Breckenridge, D. Hausrath, D. McKibben.



# Oh Say Can

Top Row: K. Beresford, J. Martin, B. Bu  
Sleichter.

Bottom Row: L. Mahone, W. Forman,  
Iversen, G. Bourne, B. Mahone, D. Haug



• Mid-year dance shots show the crowd with Ann and Bill in the spotlight.



• Mary and Kim smile, and Bob tells Margaret how he caught that big one.

AMES High Swingsters swang out at the matinee dances once a six weeks. The twelve jivers were John Martin, trombone; Lloyd Mahone, piano; Kenneth Beresford, bass; Bill Mahone, Gerald Bourne, Jim Iverson, Wayne Bourne, Wallace Forman, saxes; Bill Sleichter, Bill Buck, John Rice, cornets; and Dick Haugen, drums.

The rugcutters capered at the Pigskin Prance on Oct. 3. Chaperones were Mrs. J. S. Dodds, Mrs. R. D. Feldman, and Mrs. N. J. Brintnall.

On Nov. 13, the Belated Ballot-Brawl was held with Mrs. C. A. Ivers, Mrs. R. F. Carter, and Mrs. T. Vance as chaperones.

Prizes were given to the boy and girl holding the lucky ticket during the termination of the Holly Follies, December 18th matinee dance. Mrs. J. Hansel, Mrs. L. C. Arrasmith, Mrs. M. Walton, and Mrs. J. L. Spurr were the chaperones.

At the Semester Fiesta, January the mid-year all school evening dan





students danced to Ray Gray's band. Virginia Carter, sophomore, was named "Ames High's Dream Girl," and Harold Shugart, "Ames High's Superman." Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Dirksen, Mr. and Mrs. John Harlan, and Mrs. T. J. Maney.

The Red Letter Day Dance was held on February 26. Chaperones were Mrs. H. W. Mitchell, Mrs. R. M. Walton, Mrs. G. M. Kulow, Mrs. W. P. Nichols, Mrs. W. G. Gaessler, Mrs. W. E. Galligan.



# Fifty-three Voices Join in Chorus



TOP Row: B. Green, B. Otopalik, S. Larson, G. Tripp, W. Forman, G. Peterson, B. Cushing, J. Erickson, J. Iversen, G. Whitfield, B. Firkins.

SECOND Row: H. Twogood, D. Porter, H. Breckenridge, B. LaVelle, J. De La Hunt, P. Nichols, L. Mahone, W. Cunningham, B. Leland, B. Rynkiewitz, G. Lauer, V. Manning.

THIRD Row: C. Hanson, E. Mitchell, A. Christensen, I. Turpin, L. DeVries, B. Quandahl, C. Hendrickson, M. Hein, M. Taylor, E. Anderson, K. Cox.

FOURTH Row: E. Butler, M. Rice, P. Shearer, J. Perry, Miss Bower, C. Cannon, K. McDonald, R. Williams, C. Grant.

• Carols echo in the halls as chorus sings Yuletide songs.

• Coral and Ellen vocalize a bit.

• Official performance—robes and all—at the hotel.

**FIFTY-THREE** members participated this year in the only Ames a capella group, Ames High Mixed Chorus.

The first semester chorus worked mainly on scales, harmony, and singing technique: The second semester they prepared and presented programs. Ten new members were added second semester to give a more balanced group.

Directed by Miss Edna Bower, the chorus presented Sunday morning services at various churches. On May 15th, the group took part in the Tri-City Festival which was held in Boone. Chorus also gave an Easter vesper service at the Memorial Union, April 6th.

Officers were: Clawson Cannon, president; Jack Perry, vice-president; Pat Shearer, secretary-treasurer.



# Cubs Publish One Edition of Web

PRODUCING the between semester's edition of the Ames High Weekly Web was the Cubs' club's big project of the year. Miss Nelson, club advisor, has presented the mechanics of writing news, feature stories, and humor, to beginning junior and sophomore journalists for three years.

Preparatory to their mid-year edition of the Web, Cubs handed in individual scrapbooks, which served as a competitive exercise for staff assignments on the Web. Officers were: Browne Otopalik, president; Keith Berry, vice-president; Frances Kerekes, secretary-treasurer.

TOP ROW: R. Gaessler, K. Berry, D. Lush, A. Hausath, T. Ronningen, B. Otopalik, C. Dodd.  
 SECOND ROW: F. Kerekes, H. Twogood, J. Brintnall, A. Midgorden, M. Lush, A. Vernon, M. Walker, L. Stewart.  
 THIRD ROW: A. Willis, R. Lindstrom, M. Quist, M. Dodds, J. McDonald, M. Rothacker, M. Baker, V. Kulow.  
 BOTTOM ROW: P. Pride, B. Baustian, A. Turner, Miss Nelson, P. Anderson, W. Geiger, E. Uhl.

• Cubs look over exchanges.

• Is that an interested look?

• Louise Brown gives advice.







Top Row: D. Kephart, E. Zimmerman, J. Cole, M. Angle, B. Cassady.  
 Second Row: A. Passmore, J. Nutty, A. Darner, D. Dempsey, B. O'Brien, C. Nutty, T. Hutchison.  
 Bottom Row: J. LaDassor, M. Koontz, Miss Thutt, E. McElyea, I. Teeter, B. Hall.

- Here lies the Ames High Weekly Webs.
- Let's see, which comes first—R or S?
- Those must be very interesting books!
- Funny jokes in popular mechanics?

## Library Houses 2,500 to 3,000 Books

APPROXIMATELY 2,500 to 3,000 books are housed in the Ames High library and handled by the Library Club, under the sponsorship of Miss Thutt and Eleanor McElyea. Limited to twenty members, these student librarians are chosen on the basis of interest in library work, attitude of service, and scholastic record. Each girl works about two periods a week in the library.

The projects chosen by the club for the year were the classifying and cataloging of new books; arranging material in show cases, and making a scrapbook of clippings of all activities of the Ames schools.

Officers were Ivon Teeter, president; Barbara Hall, vice-president; Marybeth Koontz, secretary-treasurer; and Delores Kephart, social chairman.



# Lines, Light, Make-up are Actors' Tools



TOP ROW: J. McGee, B. Myers, E. Larson, B. Schlick, J. Warren, T. Maney, T. Ronningen, O. Wellhouse, J. Dietz, M. Potee, D. Robertson, W. Douglass.

SECOND ROW: E. Mitchell, J. Stouffer, M. Smith, M. Barrie, J. Galvin, J. Harlan, J. Kimler, D. Queal, C. Yetter, Z. Leininger, H. Nichols, B. McCoy.

THIRD ROW: I. Robertson, J. Nutty, E. Hixon, B. Edenburn, D. Roberg, M. Dodds, S. Dunagan, A. Vernon, L. Hummel, J. McClelland, C. Nutty, P. Pride.

FOURTH ROW: R. Wetter, M. Willis, V. Manning, A. Turner, B. Grimes, A. Dirksen, B. Byrnes, C. Thornton, B. Moore, V. Town, B. Hall.

BOTTOM ROW: G. Miller, M. Thomas, J. Kyle, M. McDonald, M. Rothacker, A. Paulson, V. Kulow, P. Anderson, H. Erickson, M. Osborn.

TOP ROW: B. Hammond, R. Phillips, T. Hartman, J. Lynch, W. Reed, B. Winlock, J. Perry, D. Lush, C. Miller, B. Allbaugh, R. Morrison.

SECOND ROW: H. Willcox, L. Brown, P. O'Donnell, C. Campbell, V. Carter, M. Lush, D. Kroesen, G. Rinehart, D. Knight, B. Mize, B. Wood, A. Hausrath.

THIRD ROW: W. Geiger, M. Borgmeyer, B. Maddigan, V. Halstead, B. Knudson, B. Butler, V. Ladwig, B. Clarke, R. Gaessler, P. Hovde.

BOTTOM ROW: A. Utter, P. Krajicek, J. Wolf, K. Boland, Mr. Smith, D. Martin, G. Lind, C. Craven, V. Dixon.



# The Show Goes on!



- Leading man Robert Morrison calls for help at an exciting point.



- Winlock pulls his "gat."
- Wellhouse gets Winlock to talk.



- Charles Miller dons his makeup for the character part of the hermit.

"SEVEN Keys to Baldpate" was the fall play presented by the Dramatic Club. The play, a melodramatic farce, was written by George M. Cohan, author of several Broadway hits. The story concerned the adventures of a playwright who takes a dare to write a novel in one day. He retires to a lodge on Baldpate mountain so that he can concentrate on his work but instead is interrupted at various times by robbers, a newspaper woman, hermit, and others. The play was filled with surprises, acts of violence and exciting situations.

The cast, directed by L. Wayne Smith, was: Elijah Quimby, Guy Rinehart; Mrs. Quimby, Delores Knight; William Magee, Bob Morrison; John Bland, Bob Phillips; Mary Norton, Ann Dirksen; Mrs. Rhodes, Lila Mae Hummel; Peters, the hermit, Charles Miller; Myra Thornhill, Gertrude Lind; Lou Max, Bill Winlock; Jim Cragan, Olin Wellhouse; Thomas Hayden, Bob Allbaugh; Jiggs Kennedy, Jack Perry; Ted Hartman and Wayne Reed, policemen; owner of Baldpate, Al Hausrath. Bookholder, Betty Knudson.



JUNIOR Class presented "The Late Christopher Bean" on February 25. "Chris Bean" was a painter whose works proved to be valuable after his death. Not caring much for Chris, the Haggett family had thrown or given away all his paintings left at their house. When they learn of their value, they try desperately to retrieve them, ignoring their faithful maid who is going away. Finally they discover that Abby was married to Chris, that all the paintings belong to her, and that their selfishness did not benefit them.

Lila Mae Hummel played the leading role of Abby, the sweetheart of the late Christopher Bean. Abby was the servant girl of Dr. Haggett, played by Charles Miller. Mrs. Haggett, who had assumed certain airs in dress and bear-

ing, was played by Delores Knight. Susan Haggett, a pretty girl of nineteen was played by Virginia Halstead and her sister, Ada Haggett, with babyish prettiness and babylike manner, was played by Betty Clarke. In the part of Susan's boy friend, the village painter and paper hanger, Warren Creamer, was Dean Dixon. Completing the cast was Bob Allbaugh as Tallant, Jack Perry as Rosen, and Wayne Cunningham as Maxwell Davenport.

The senior class play, presented on May 16, was "Spring Dance," by Philip Barry. The play was a light, frothy comedy concerned with the love life of certain Alex Benson whose girl friends take matters into their own hands and conspire to secure Sam Thacher for the sad and bewildered Alex.



• Ginger and Dean in a romantic scene.



• The Haggett Family from the Junior Class Play



# Classroom Clatter

JUNIOR English classes, taught by Miss Wilcox and Miss McNally, studied English and American literature, and English grammar. Special work was covered by use of the Reader's Digest. Miss Nelson's journalism class published the Ames High Weekly Web and made an extensive study of propaganda. Junior French classes studied French grammar; the senior class read French novels and prepared special projects each semester, under the direction of Miss Hadish. Second year Latin students, tutored by Mr. Ritland, studied Caesar's commentaries on the Gallic campaigns.

Physics and chemistry classes, instructed by Mr. Harms, combined nearly equal amounts of textbook and laboratory work during the year.

Studying the essentials of geometry, sophomore pupils were under the supervision of Mr. Swedell and Mr. Gowan.

Instructed by Miss White, second year algebra proved to be an especially popular subject for students who wished to take up engineering or an allied course in college.

Biology students, under the direction of Mr. Wells and Mr. Smalling, perused the book "Biology of Today," a study of all living things.

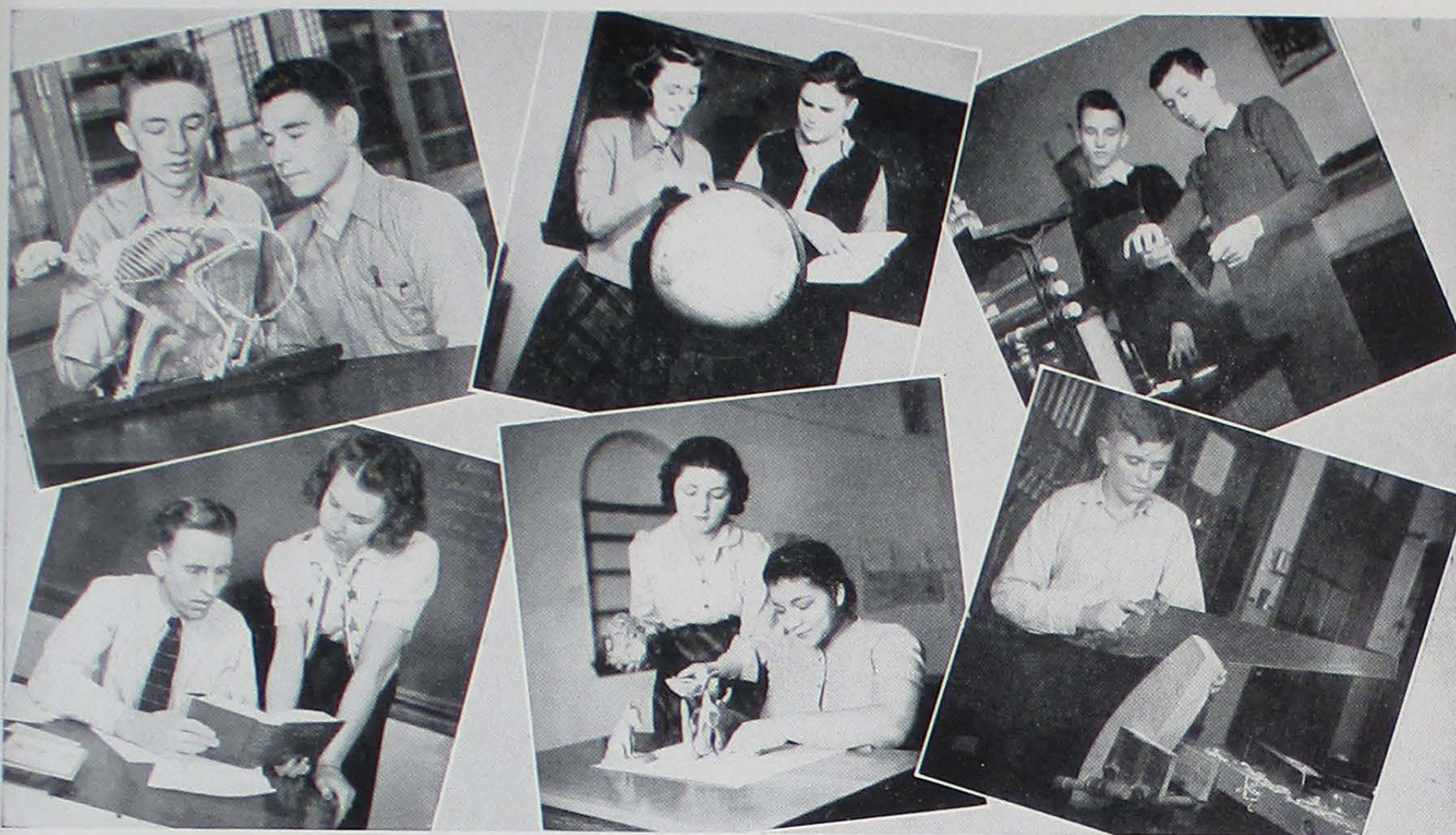


- Well, it's only the sixth time that Bob has begun the test.
- Parlez-vous francais? first and second year French represented.

- That's a queer gadget that Al and Frances have there in Physics.
- Peg and Mary Jane back to nature in Girls' Industrial Arts class.

- Meg and Virginia figure out the geometry problem by marking a chalk globe.
- "Power of the press," or Paul helps Leonard out in Boys Home Ec. class.





- "That bone is a hyso-anhalpadrine, see?" explains John Harlan.
- Mr. Ritland gives Justine a few hints about Latin grammar.

- Iowa's on the map, even though we aren't an old Greek relic.
- "Push here, pull there, slap here, and blow hard," says Archie Lou.

- "If it explodes, don't forget to record your breakage," Jack advises.
- Milton tries to take a bit of finger in that deal while in shop.

AMERICAN history classes under Miss Spatz, Miss Thutt, and Mr. Smith, studied, in addition to their regular textbooks, "Democracy and Its Competitors." Civics classes, taught by Miss Oxborrow and Mr. Kramer learned how our federal and state systems of government work.

First year commercial students, supervised by Miss Canvin, learned the fundamentals of shorthand writing and competed in two contests based on shorthand legibility. Senior girls, under the direction of Mrs. Miller, worked for speed and accuracy in typing and shorthand. Typing to music was used to promote rhythm of touch in non-commercial classes under Miss Hartsook.

Miss Lunsford supervised the two types of physical education offered to all girls, rhythm, and sports and games.

Boys' and girls' industrial arts classes, taught by Mr. Benz, were devoted to woodworking, metal working, electricity, and plaster casting.

Mr. Lorenz's art class did projects in clay, pastels, charcoal, silk screen, pencil sketching, and studied art appreciation.

Boys' home economics classes discussed personal grooming, selection of clothes, money management, manners, learned cooking and sewing, and planned and presented several dinners during the year. Miss Kraft, assisted by student teachers from Iowa State College, directed their work. Girls' home economics classes under Miss Turner, assisted by student teachers, studied foods, sewing, family relationships, personal grooming, and the selection of clothes.



# Council Inaugurates Noon Hour Program

NOON hour recreation was begun in Ames High early in December. The program, planned by the Student Council, student governing body, was designed for students who eat at school and wish to participate in some type of recreation during the noon hour.

The program included dancing, movies, active and inactive games. Students danced twice a week on the auditorium stage to records furnished by those who had current favorites. The movies, comedies and educational pictures, were also shown in the auditorium.

Active games were volley ball, shuffle board, ping pong, badminton, deck tennis, box hockey, and basketball. Inactive games included checkers, chinker checks, and bottlecap golf.

Student committees were: Movies, Wallace Forman, chairman, Betty Lou Knudson, and David Lush; Dancing, Dale Kroesen, chairman, Nicky Lindstrom, and Guy Rinehart; Active Games, Louise Brown, chairman, Marian Mitchell, and James Dietz; Inactive Games, Marian Willis, chairman, Harriet Steele, and Jack Perry.

- Janet and Carrold take the spotlight, but Ed gives his all.
- The object of their game is to end up with all parts present.

- Ed and Louise shuffle off to a few points during a hot game.
- Louise Brown, again, but this time she makes quite a racket.

- Howard Willcox was on the receiving end of Louise's smash hit.
- Butz swings Ricey while Ruth and Ted look a bit frightened.





# Debaters Named High-ranking Speakers



TOP ROW: B. Wierson, B. Winlock, J. Perry, B. Dilts, B. Nutty, D. De La Hunt.

SECOND ROW: E. Wickland, L. Brown, R. Robinson, G. Lind, L. Stewart, D. Lush.

BOTTOM ROW: B. Maddigan, D. Hamilton, Mr. Smith, G. Lauer, V. Ladwig.

• Top-notch debaters look over speeches.

• Debate club hears a good argument.

• Gertrude shows how to hold an audience.

• Bob and Mr. Smith have a tête-a-tête.

**A**RGUING the question, "Resolved, the Power of the Federal Government should be Increased," the debate team, consisting of Don De La Hunt and Dave Lush, the affirmative, and Ed Wickland, Bill Winlock and Bob Dilts, the negative, placed third at the Newton tournament and swept the Perry meet with six wins and no losses. At Perry, De La Hunt was named high ranking speaker. Debating without

Winlock, the team won the Waterloo meet with another perfect record, at which time Wickland was awarded a rating of superior in individual rankings.

Other tournaments attended were the District at Waterloo, the State at Iowa City, and the Drake Invitational Meet.

Closing the season, De La Hunt and Wickland debated a team from Perry before the student body on March 14.



# Managers Punch 1090 Season Tickets

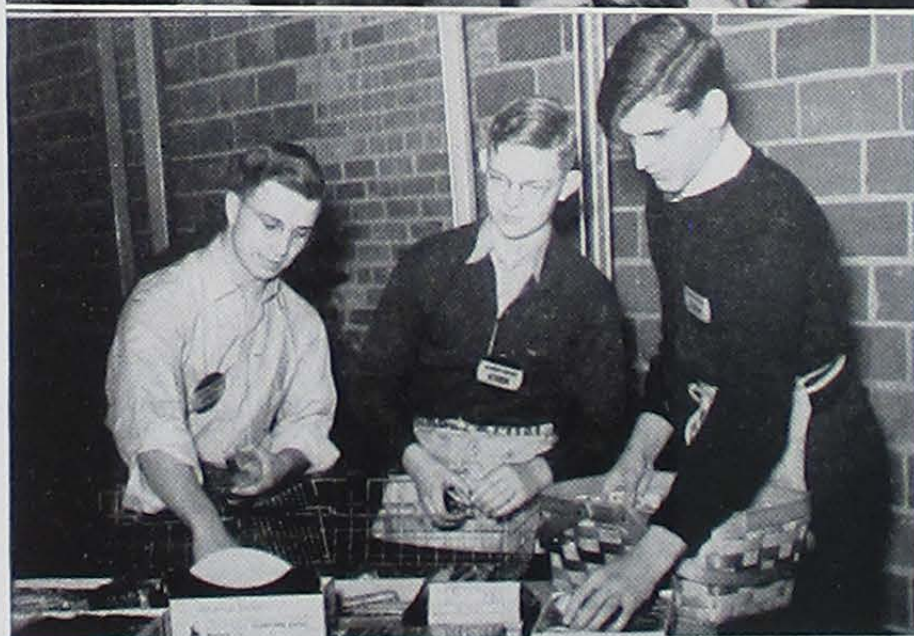
PUNCHING the 1,090 season tickets which were sold this year was just one of the jobs of athletic managers, which includes trainers, ticket sellers, and ushers.

By far the busiest of the group are the trainers, who work the whole school year, during all sports. They keep the players in shape by taping ankles, treating minor injuries, and giving other

help when needed. The care of all athletic equipment is placed in their hands. Personal records of the athletes are made by these boys.

The ticket takers and sellers, who arrived a half hour before each game, found extra work at the sectional basketball tournament held here. A member of the faculty was placed at each door to help the student ticket takers.

Top Row: J. Buchanan, Mr. Gowan, Mr. Swedell, Mr. Benz, Mr. Kramer, A. Hausrath.  
Bottom Row: M. Soma, W. Reed, C. Major, G. Grider, R. Taylor.

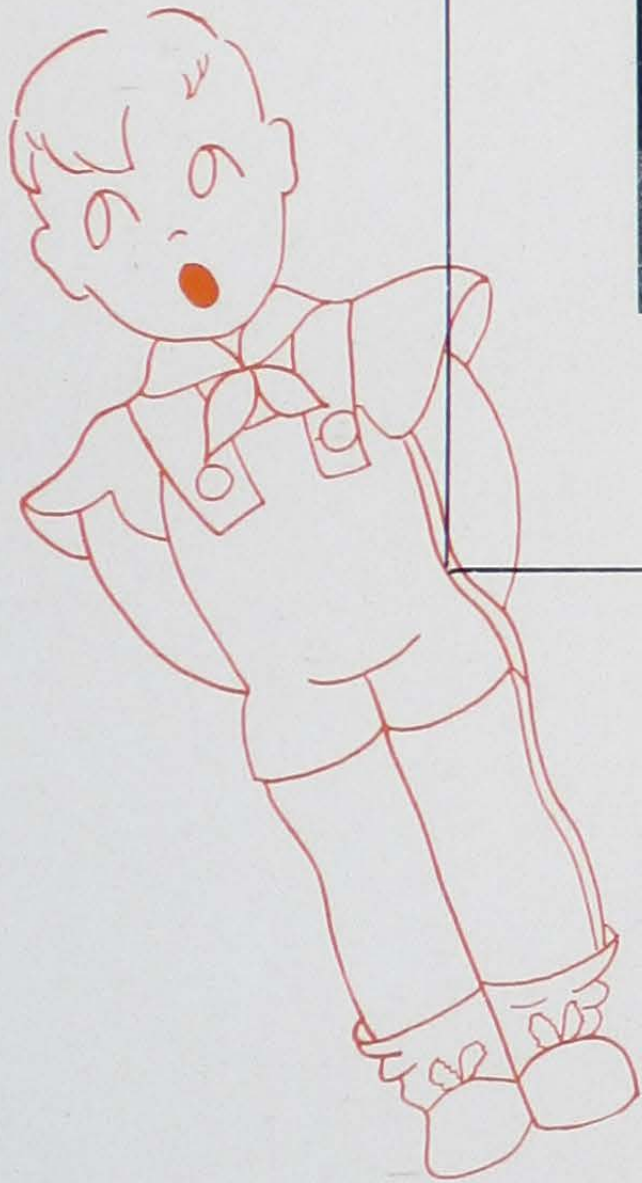


• Carl, George, and Jack will accept no bribes, thank you.



• Don gives it the raspberries while Amanda looks concerned.





"SOME DAY"

U N D E R C L A S S m e n





# Class of 1942

THE bricks in the Smith house were popping in and out like the valves in an eight cylinder engine. The Smith twins were going out tonight. Bill was in front of his mirror powdering his face. Dot was in front of her mirror powdering her face. But their purposes were opposite. Bill had come to a serious realization. The years had caught up with him. He must shave. Dot was powdering a serious realization, too. Her nose was shiny.

This is just one proof that the juniors are taking on responsibilities that they had failed to realize were theirs when they entered the doors of Ames High for their first time as fresh and innocent sophomores.

A great machine, this junior class; but a machine requires "cogs." The Junior Executive Council, or "transmission," consists of John Rice, president, Jack Pinney, vice-president, Frank Kerekes, secretary, and Herb Gilkey, treasurer. The "drivers," to whom we owe our sincere thanks were Miss Oxborrow and Mrs. Pinney.

"The Late Christopher Bean" was the title of this year's junior class production. Mr. Smith supervised and presented a superb show. Charles Miller and Lila Hummel played the leads; the supporting cast consisted of Dean Dixon, Jack Perry, Delores Knight, Bob Allbaugh, Virginia Halstead, Betty Clark, and Wayne Reed.

## Junior Executive Council

TOP ROW: J. Penny, H. Gilkey, R. Byrnes.

BOTTOM ROW: J. Rice, Miss Oxborrow, Mr. Gowan, F. Kerekes.







- Ginger combs those locks before "The Late Christopher Bean."
- That intellectual look must be catching.
- Just call us Daisy Mae, quote Joyce and Nicky.

- Jim and Herb count the play proceeds, with commission, of course.
- Those are brave smiles, Liz-Ann and Beverly.
- Jady puts a dab of paint on some advertising for the play.

" . . . It's May first, in Great Hall, Memorial Union, semi-formal and it's really going to be swell! How about it?"

We didn't get to hear the other end of this telephone call, but we know what the answer was. Naturally she went, and she had a good time, too, for it was the Junior-Senior Frolic, engineered

by Junior Executive Council. Noble Ross's band furnished the "jive" and "Joe Junior-Senior" danced.

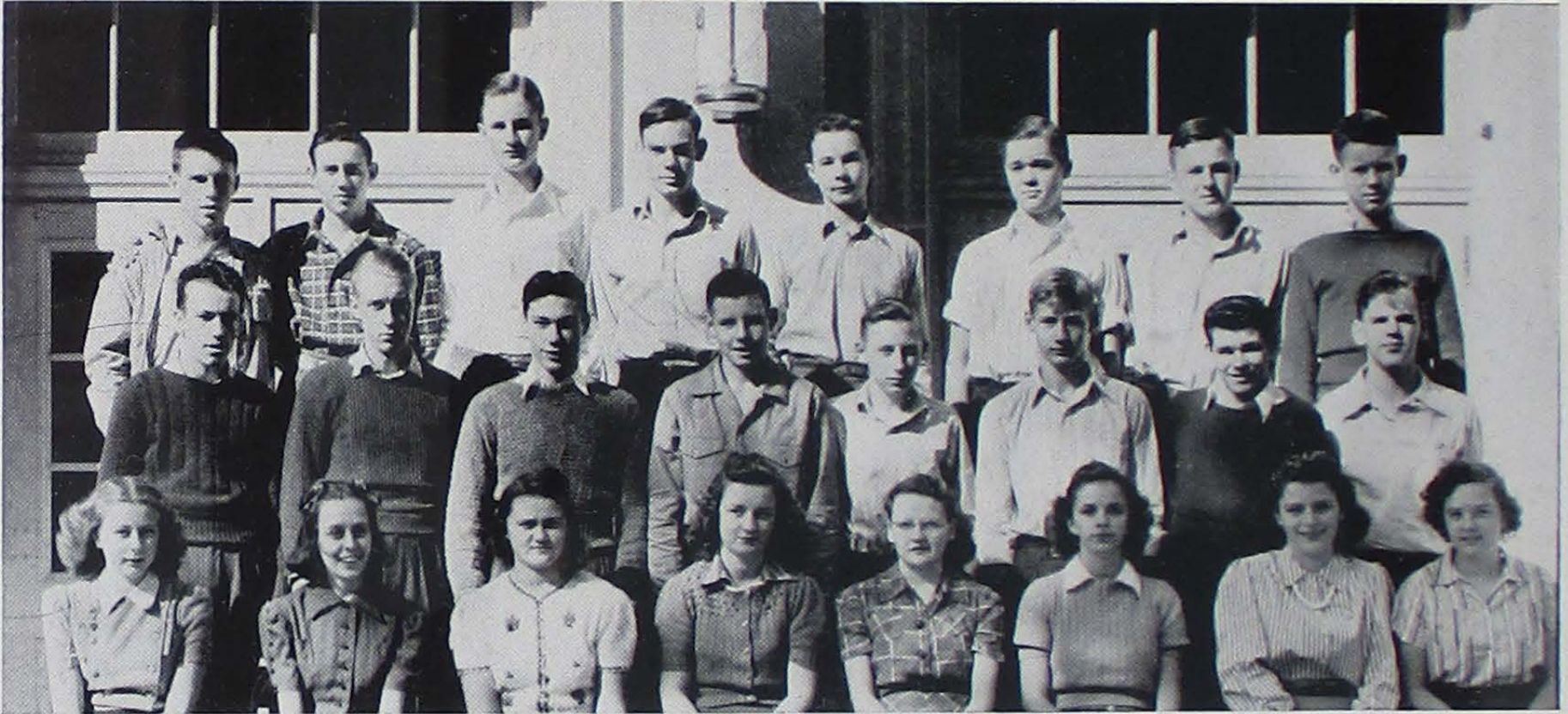
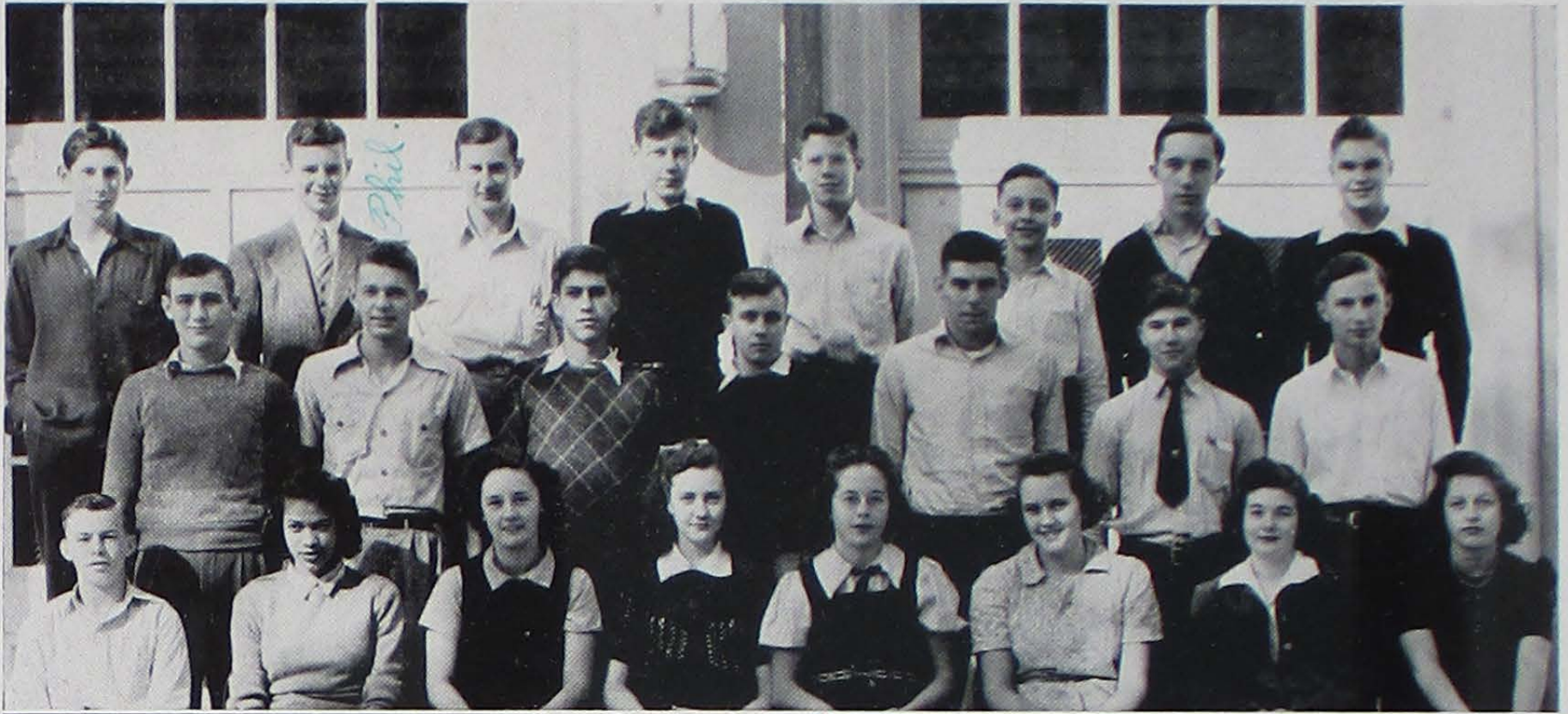
PS—We saw that fellow with his queen in the middle of the grand march.

Synonyms: Ray  
Bill

Dona  
Charlotte



# Juniors



Top Row: R. Cantonwine, M. Beman, R. Alderman, R. Allbaugh, C. Brandner, E. Burton, W. Bourne, K. Berry.

SECOND ROW: R. Byrnes, P. Armstrong, B. Buck, J. Anderson, M. Ballard, K. Anderson, H. Barnes.

BOTTOM ROW: B. Books, A. Becton, B. Butler, M. Borgmeyer, H. Breckenridge, E. Anderson, J. Cameron, P. Anderson.

Top Row: D. Dixon, C. Dillon, R. Dilts, C. Craven, J. De La Hunt, J. Dietz, R. Davis, K. Clark.

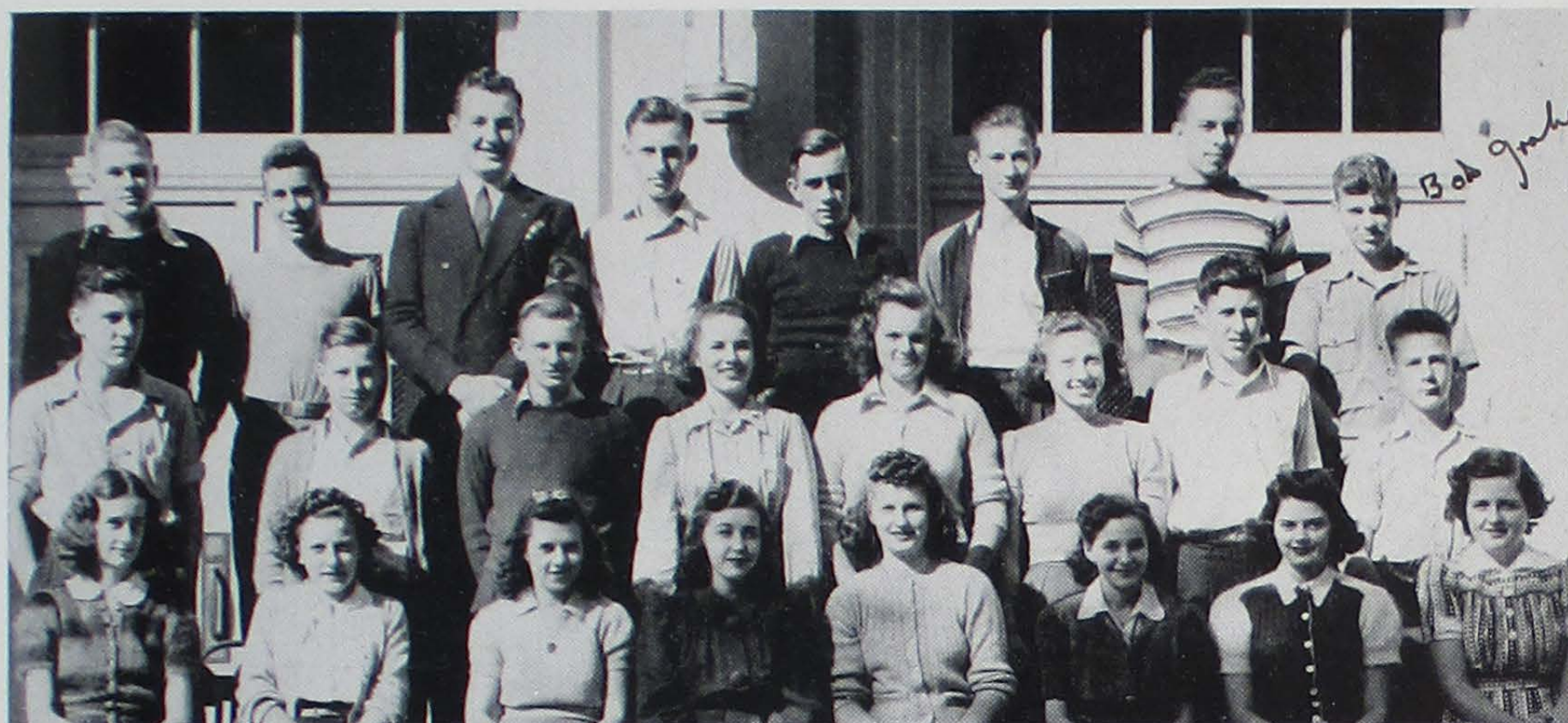
SECOND ROW: C. Coy, J. Cole, K. Craig, B. DeHart, J. DeFore, L. Chesling, B. Clark, W. Cunningham.

BOTTOM ROW: M. DeFore, E. Cody, V. Coleman, B. Clauson, C. Craven, B. Clarke, M. Decker, E. Davis.

# Helen Trygstad Arrives from Madagascar



# Juniors



TOP Row: E. Farni, E. Feldman, W. Forman, L. Dudley, G. Fry, D. Fye, H. Gilkey, B. Graham.

SECOND Row: B. Giese, W. Douglass, B. Green, B. Dunlap, F. Friley, W. Geiger, W. Eschbach, B. Harriman.

BOTTOM Row: R. Gaessler, J. Gustafson, C. Downs, B. Ersland, V. Dixson, C. Grant, V. Halstead, E. Donaldson.

TOP Row: W. Keigley, A. Jones, L. Kester, A. Hausrath, W. Kauffman, S. Larson, C. Iverson, J. Iversen.

SECOND Row: D. Knight, L. Hummel, P. Hovde, G. Lind, D. Hill, G. Johnson, B. LaVelle.

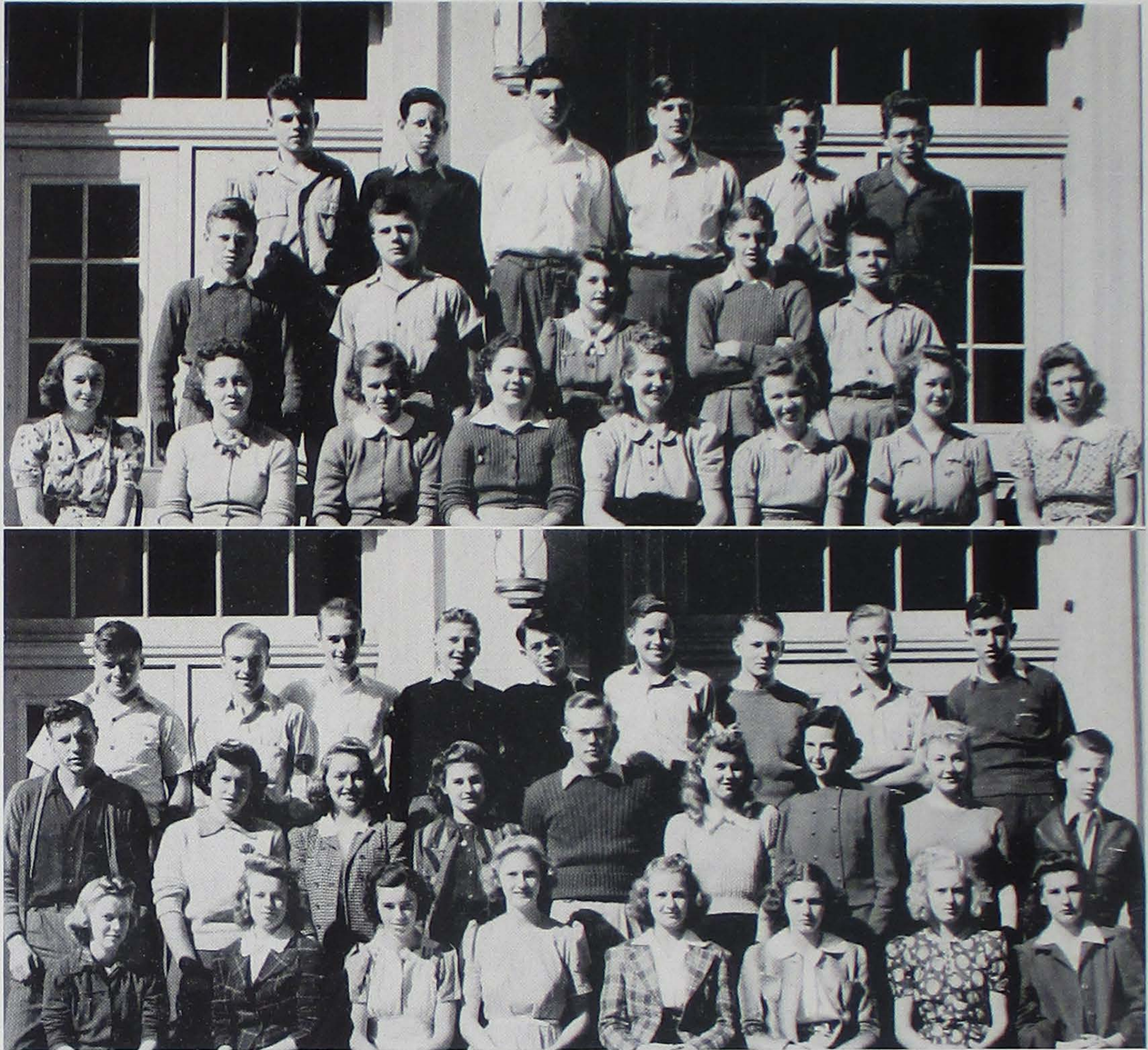
BOTTOM Row: M. Hockman, N. Lindstrom, E. Kenfield, F. Kerekes, K. Hein, T. Hutchison, E. Hixon, R. Jones.

## Janet Yoder is District G. R. President



# Juniors

*Wm. H. H.*



TOP ROW: J. Rice, E. Ritts, J. Perry, J. Penny, W. Reed, E. Plagmann.

SECOND ROW: N. Paulson, R. Paulson, L. Patton, D. Ohl, R. Paulson.

BOTTOM ROW: P. Quinn, W. Penny, D. Rathbone, M. Richards, B. Quandahl, D. Queal, A. Passmore, I. Robertson.

TOP ROW: C. Monahan, B. Maritz, R. Lowry, H. Morrison, B. Mulcahy, D. Lush, T. McElherne, C. Miller, B. Nicholson.

SECOND ROW: V. Norlin, K. McDonald, E. Mitchell, C. Nutty, J. Moore, V. Lowman, M. Lush, Z. Leininger, J. Lyons.

BOTTOM ROW: L. Maddox, D. McCoy, B. Miller, R. Midgorden, B. Mize, A. Mallory, G. McGee, B. O'Brien.

## Byrnes and Kester are Standout Cagers



# Juniors



TOP Row: B. Sleichter, B. Sampson, C. Shockley, E. Swartz, B. Stafford, R. Taylor, S. Siberell, R. Ross.

SECOND Row: J. Spurrier, C. Robinson, D. Routh, D. Smith, B. Swanson, D. Smith, H. Soma.

BOTTOM Row: M. Smith, L. Stewart, J. Stouffer, N. Shellito, B. Sandwick, S. Smith, D. Sauvain.

TOP Row: L. Willson, G. Whitfield, G. Tripp, E. Wiersen, R. Wendell, R. Wood, B. Wiersen, J. West.

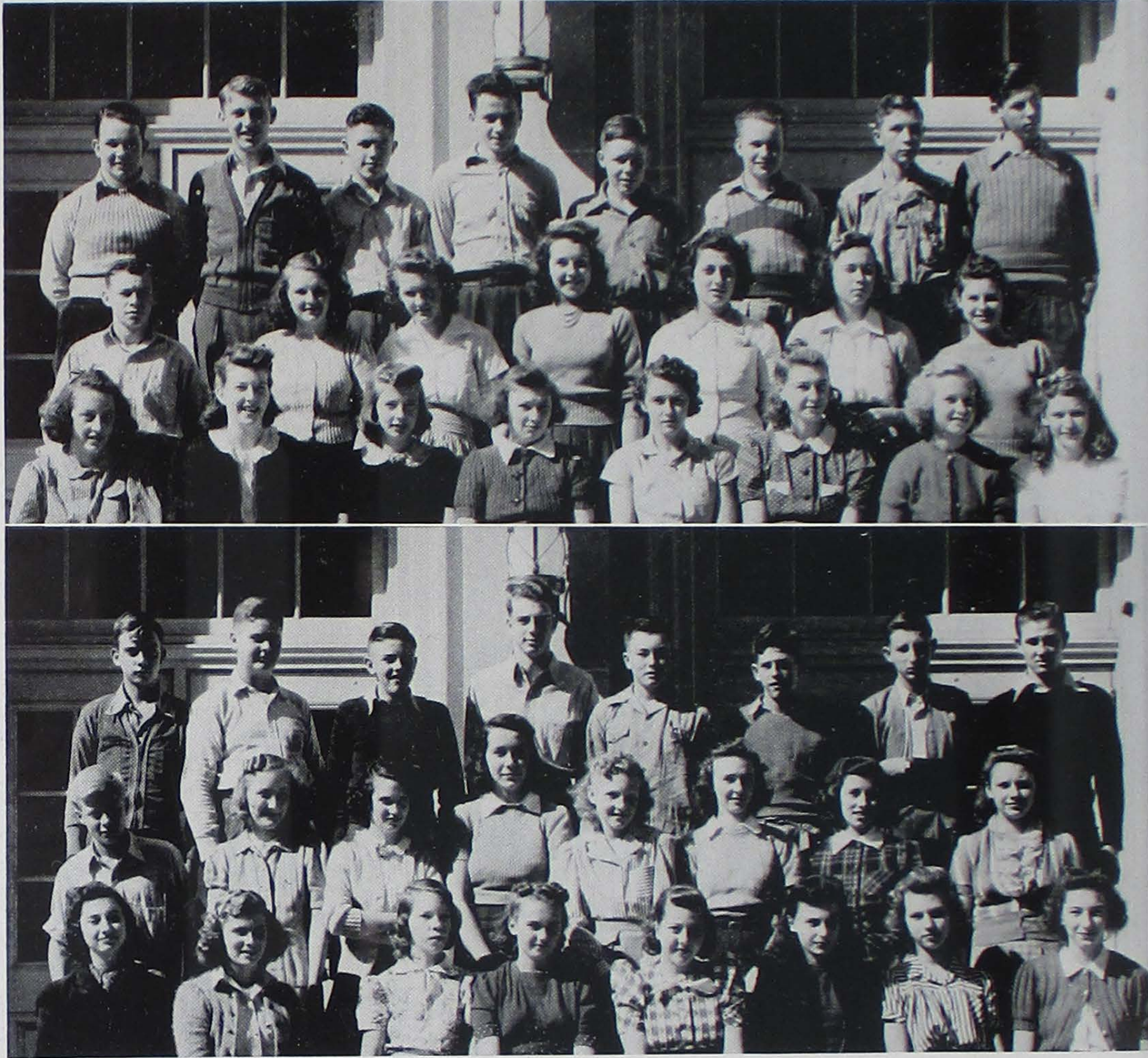
SECOND Row: R. Taylor, E. Zimmerman, H. Van Vlack, J. Thomas, J. Yoder, H. Twogood, A. Willis, M. Wetteland.

BOTTOM Row: I. Turpin, E. Uhl, G. Yetter, N. Zenor, M. Williams, H. Trygstad, I. Wessel, I. Thomas.

## Lila Hummel Masters Role in 3 Days



# Sophomores

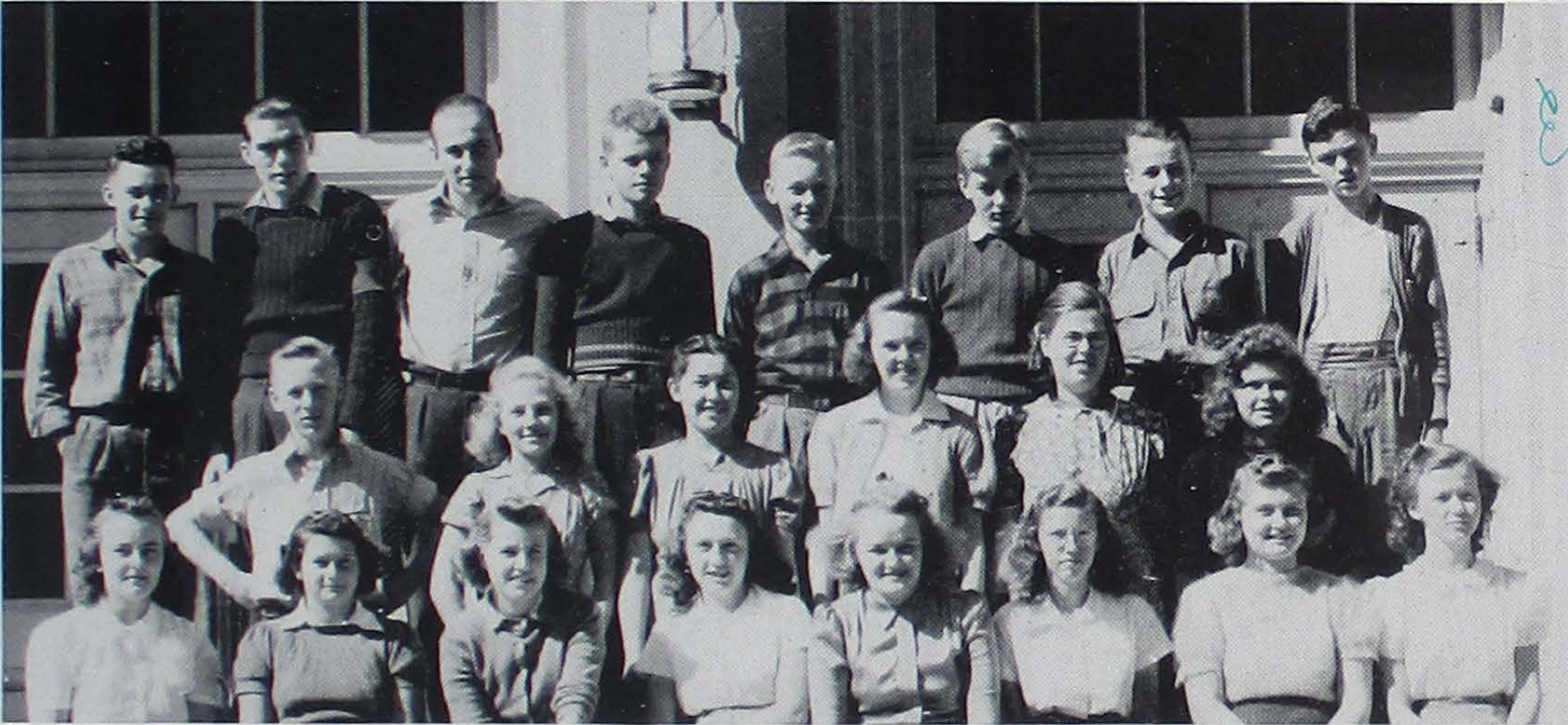
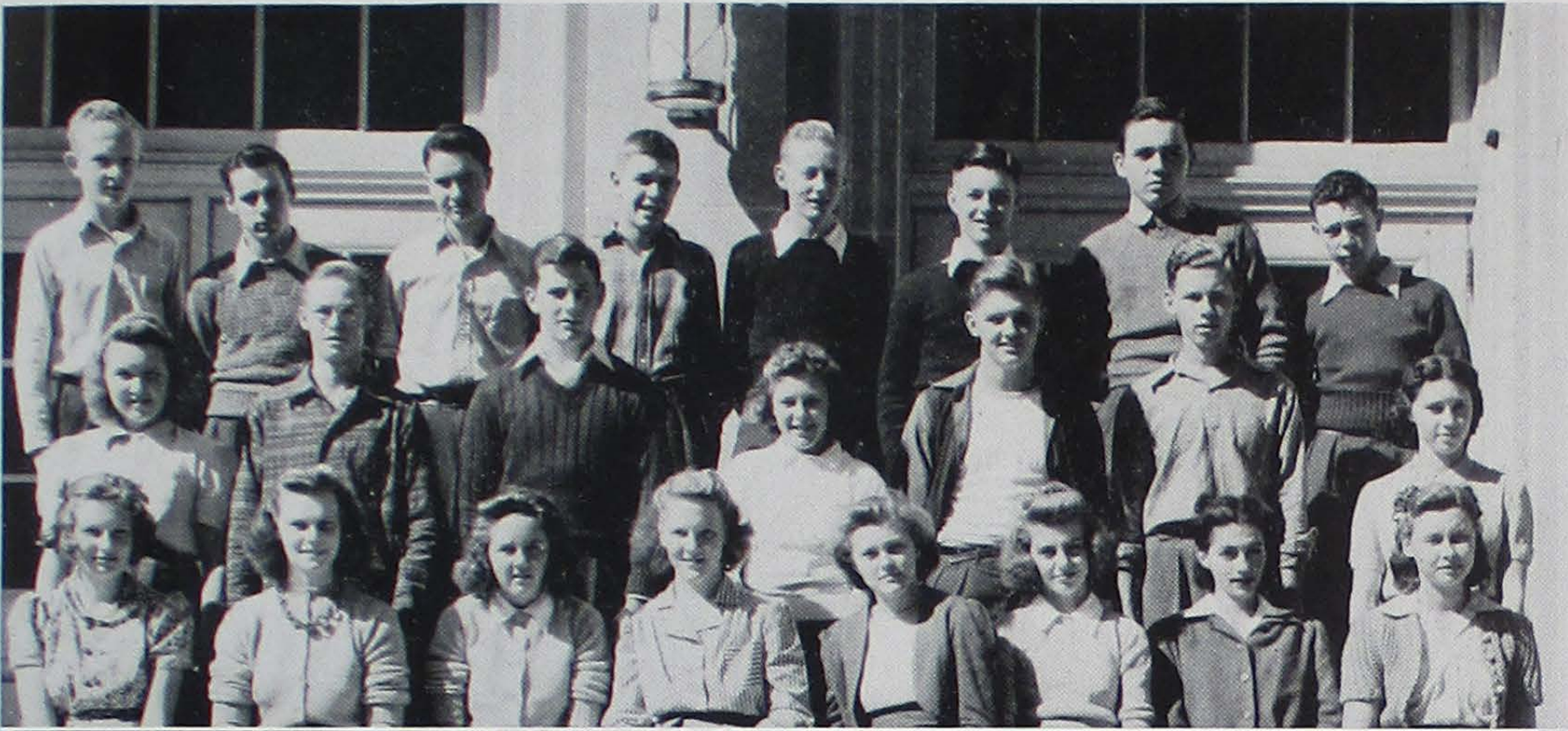


TOP ROW: A. Caine, F. Bender, G. Bourne, J. Buchanan, S. Arnold, K. Bell, H. Anfenson, F. Ballard,  
 SECOND ROW: B. Books, E. Bates, R. Anderson, J. Brintnall, D. Barnes, M. Baker, L. Alexander.  
 BOTTOM ROW: M. Carlson, K. Boland, B. Barr, B. Byrnes, M. Angle, M. Barrie, B. Berg, G. Anderson.  
 TOP ROW: E. Cox, H. Elliott, M. Ehen, K. H. Davis, E. Carty, D. Dickinson, J. Cline, K. L. Davis.  
 SECOND ROW: C. DeVore, B. Edenburn, B. Duncan, M. Dodds, G. Fjare, R. Conlon, V. Carter, N. Davis.  
 BOTTOM ROW: C. Dodd, D. Carr, E. Elliott, H. Erickson, B. Cassady, C. Fitch, A. Dirksen, S. Dunagan.

## Jim Kimler Spends Christmas in Mexico



# Sophomores



TOP ROW: L. Fjare, B. Hockman, D. Griffen, T. Hartman, D. Illeman, B. Hammond, N. Hamilton, E. Gibb.

SECOND ROW: M. Griffith, J. Galligan, T. Garfield, J. Hall, J. Galvin, H. Hoppins, D. Herzberg.

BOTTOM ROW: R. Gilson, P. Hansel, A. Gilman, J. Fjare, F. Foster, B. Grimes, D. Hamilton, B. Hoon.

TOP ROW: M. Kurtz, Melvin Jones, B. McClain, R. Jondall, E. Larson, J. Kimler, H. Knudsen, H. McClintock.

SECOND ROW: K. Lint, V. Kulow, B. Jackson, S. Lewis, L. Latherow, M. Larson.

BOTTOM ROW: J. Kyle, E. Kephart, R. Lindstrom, D. Kelley, V. Ladwig, I. Knuths, G. Lauer, J. McClelland.

## Virginia Carter Chosen as Dream Girl



# Sophomores



TOP Row: B. Maakestad, D. Moyer, W. Myers, B. Mahone, B. Myers, T. Maney, H. Morrison, P. Mitchell.  
 SECOND Row: J. McGee, D. Martin, D. Merrill, B. Moore, B. McCoy, B. Maddigan, J. Mannschreck.  
 BOTTOM Row: D. Matson, R. McDonald, D. McKibben, V. Manning, J. McDonald, K. Mullin, B. McHone, G. Mehle.

TOP Row: M. Potee, D. Nelson, G. Overland, G. Riggs, B. Peterson, R. Olson, J. Nutty.  
 SECOND Row: I. Ragsdale, N. Rafdal, W. Otto, B. Price, M. Quist, P. Pride, P. O'Donnell, A. Paulson.  
 BOTTOM Row: B. Patterson, D. Peck, M. Quade, M. Osborne, H. Nichols, J. Nutty, D. Porter, N. Paul.

## Ann Dirksen has Major Role in Fall Play



# Sophomores



TOP ROW: M. Stokka, D. Swartz, F. Soreghan, Fredric Roberg, D. Shockley, T. Ronningen, M. Soma, S. Sjurson.

SECOND ROW: D. Stokka, W. Schlick, D. Sadler, C. Smith, C. Thomas, B. Ross, B. Sills, D. Robertson.

BOTTOM ROW: M. Smith, A. Shipp, V. Sills, M. Rothacker, Frances Roberg, D. Roberg, M. Thomas, G. Smith.

TOP ROW: K. Wing, D. Yeomans, Don Walton, W. Trindal, B. Winlock, H. Wilcox, David Walton, P. Vance.

SECOND ROW: B. Valline, A. Vernon, N. Young, M. Walker, N. Walton.

BOTTOM ROW: J. Whitacre, B. Thompson, V. Town, A. Turner, R. Wood, J. Wolf, C. Thornton, B. West.

## Gilson, Wendell from Abroad Join Class



# Class of 1943

**F**LASH! Some of our sophomores are plenty slick—in fact, Dora McKibben and Ted Hartman are so slick they fell and broke their arms. Broken hearts have also been scattered about.

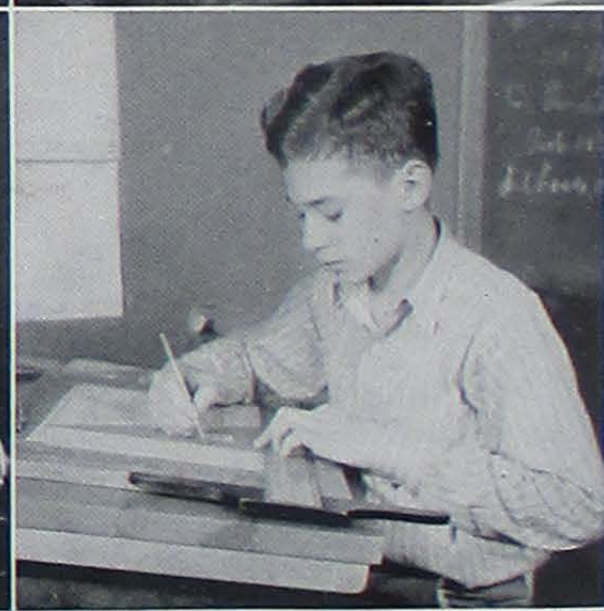
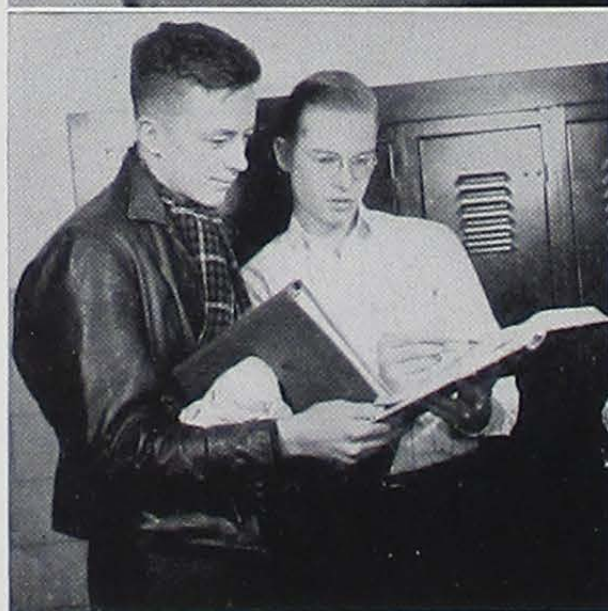
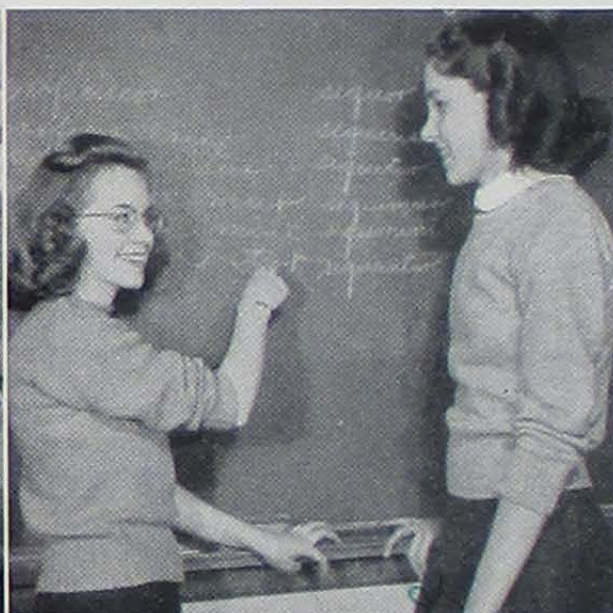
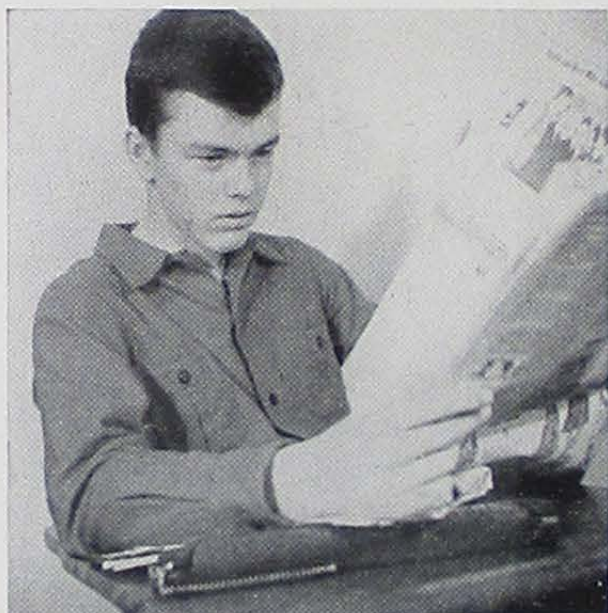
Last year, Rosy Lindstrom, Dorothy Porter, Mary Dodds, Virginia Carter, Justine Brintnall, and Meg Quist were elected to wear the orange and black jackets as members of Pep Club, and to help cheer the football and basketball teams on to victory.

On to victory we have gone with such players as Jerry Galligan, Bob Peterson, Bus Caine, Dave Shockley, and many others.

“A’s” were well distributed, but most of them to go to Polly Pride, Gloria Lauer, and Ione Knuths.

Dramatic Club, Glee Club, and Cub’s Club are filled with sophomores, who have made good. Mary Dodds, Gloria Lauer, Virginia Manning, Dorothy Porter, Patty O’Donnell, and Anne Gilman make up sophomore sextet. Darleen Barnes is in girl’s sextet and Barbara Baustian is in triple trio.

So it’s Central and Welch together to make the sophomore class! Memories of hard-fought battles have disappeared and “Ames Hi Aims High” is our motto.



- Thor demonstrates how to read in one comfortable position.
- Comparing notes, Bruce Ross and Jerry Galligan.

- That’s a lovely smile for Latin class, Polly.
- Bus warns Mary not to linger in the halls (it says here).

- A flash of pearls—Justine with Einy beside her.
- Kenny Wing does overtime in mechanical drawing.





"NOBODY  
KNOWS THE  
TROUBLE I SEE"



S N O O P S H O T S



## SCHOOL BEGINS

Back to our studies again we went,  
After three months of rest.  
On search of knowledge we were bent,  
And we were out to do our best.



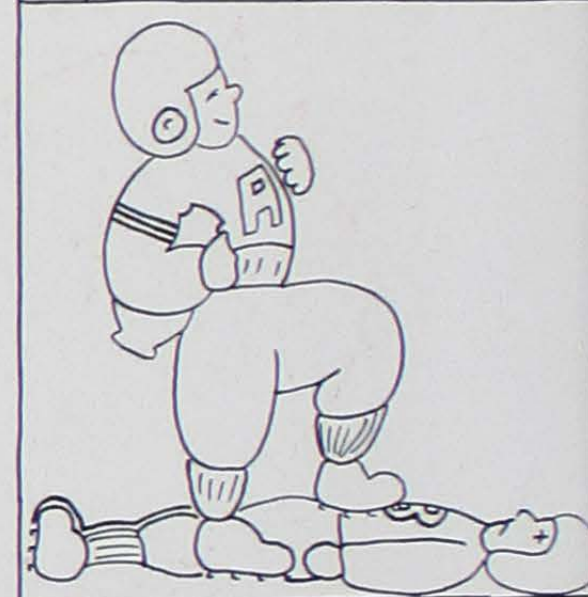
## TEACHERS' CONVENTION

For two whole days we did enjoy,  
From study to refrain.  
Our teachers tramped off to Des Moines,  
More knowledge there to gain.



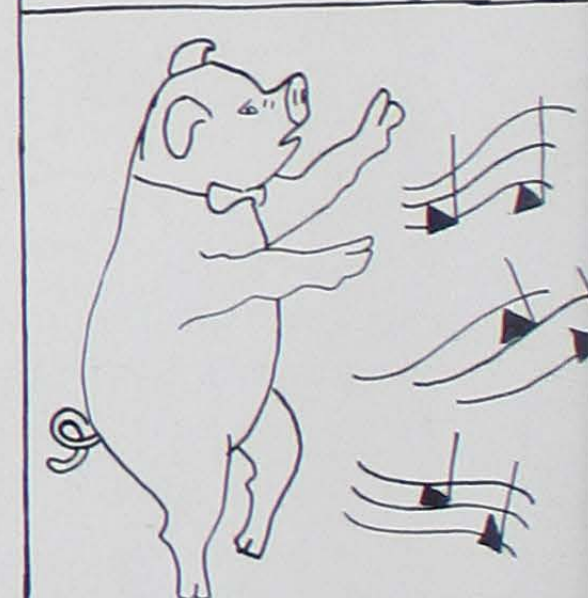
## BOONE GAME

The Boone High game, though once postponed,  
At last was finally played.  
We won the coveted blue-green jug,  
By the seven points we made.



## FIRST SCHOOL DANCE

Students frolicked here and there,  
At the first affair of the year.  
It was an extra special dance,  
They called it the Pigskin Prance.



## OPEN HOUSE

The open house was a great success.  
The crowds were not meager,  
Our parents traveled to our school,  
And met Superintendent Steger.







### DRAMATIC CLUB PLAY

*Seven Keys to Baldpate* was the Dramatic Club play, Mystery was the keynote—to the east a big bouquet. All the kids played wonderfully, each and every one, The lead in this fine episode was taken by Morrison.



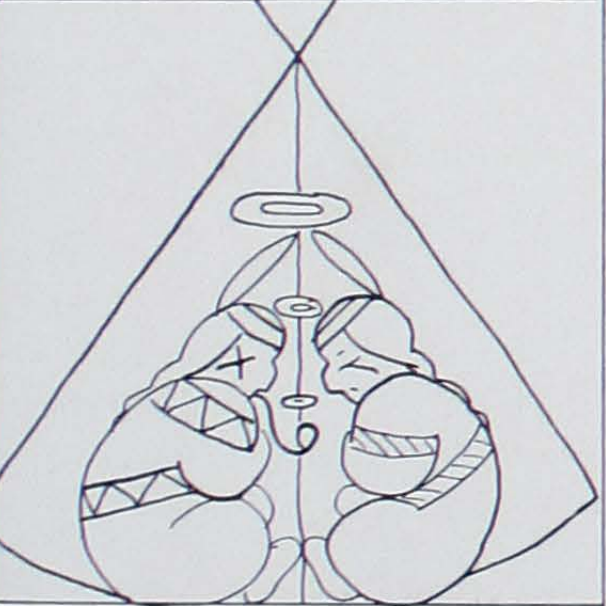
### GIRLS GLEE CLUB ASSEMBLY

The Christmas assembly was led by Miss Bower, The Girls' Glee Club performed. They sang Christmas songs and seasonal chants, To which every student's heart warmed.



### MID-YEAR DANCE

On January 22, students enjoyed a brief siesta, And with great joy and merriment they attended the semester Fiesta. Ray Gray and his orchestra swung out in a merry way, And Ames High celebrated with a Mexican Holiday.



### FRIENDSHIP CONFERENCE

Providing enlightening speeches and giving food for thought, Friendship Conference gave us something that can't be bought. Our speaker presented a very clear picture of scenes across the sea. He was, as you'll remember, Reverend James J. Davies.



### JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

The junior class entertained quite a crowd, Their play had quite a theme. Directed by L. Wayne Smith, 'Twas called *The Late Christopher Bean*.



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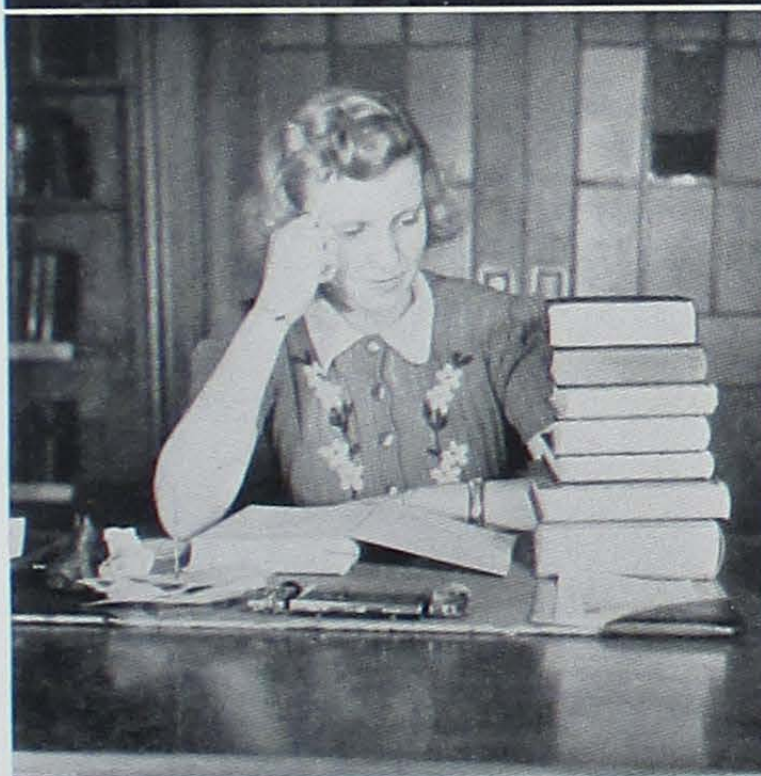
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- A perfect picture of despair as Avis looks over the stack.

- Little man you've got a lot of horn.
- Speaking of the "Book of the Month."
- Charlotte fixes up a bit for the camera.



## Ames High Alphabet

Romaine Woodward  
 John McElhinny  
 Ted Hartman  
 Carrold Iverson  
 Carl Martin  
 John Engeldinger  
 Eugene O'Neil  
 Dale Kroesen  
 Phil Eldredge  
 Bruce Firkins  
 Bill Cushing  
 John Rice  
 Dick Haugen  
 Dick Pride  
 Clawson Cannon  
 Winny Douglas  
 George Hartman  
 Don Cantonwine  
 Marion Burk  
 Charles Major  
 Don Budge  
 Guy Rinehart  
 Harold Clemens  
 You Guess  
 Paul Vance  
 Bill Kingkade

**A**thletic  
**B**ashful  
**C**lever  
**D**ashing  
**E**nergetic  
**F**astidious  
**G**lamorous  
**H**umorous  
**I**ntellectual  
**J**aunty  
**K**nowing  
**L**azy  
**M**asterful  
**N**ice  
**O**ptimistic  
**P**eppy  
**Q**uiet  
**R**adical  
**S**leepy  
**T**ue  
**U**naccountable  
**V**ivacious  
**W**itty  
**X**  
**Y**oung  
**Z**ealous

Helen McElhinny  
 Amanda Christensen  
 Dorothy Martin  
 Mary Jane Rice  
 Dona Sauvain  
 Janet Clyde  
 Peggy Rushing  
 Lynn Nichols  
 Lois Stewart  
 Helen Gowen  
 Mary Martin  
 Frances Friley  
 Lila Mae Hummel  
 Annabelle Vernon  
 Pat Shearer  
 Ruth Miller  
 Margaret Quist  
 Louise Brown  
 Jean Benton  
 Lolly Bretnall  
 Virginia Dyas  
 Nicky Lindstrom  
 Eileen Dudgeon  
 We Can't  
 Virginia Kulow  
 Norma Bauer

## There's Always a Song for It

*Can't We Be Friends*  
*Faithful Forever*  
*How Can I Ever Be Alone*  
*I Got Plenty of Nuttin'*  
*I'm Getting Nowhere with You*  
*I'm Home Again*  
*I've Got My Eyes on You*  
*Man and His Drum*  
*Oh, You Beautiful Doll*  
*Please Don't Talk About Me When I'm Gone*  
*Too Romantic*

John Martin and Eileen Dudgeon  
 Cim and Lolly  
 Mr. Young  
 Three-fourths of the student body  
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- Study Hall—got to get that history.
- "And my dear, have you heard——"
- 7:45 and breakfast is under way.
- Lunch—a diet of spinach and history.
- Just a dab here, and a puff there.
- 8:15, she rushes out the front door.
- 4:00—Ann finds fresh air welcome.
- After the game, a date concludes her day.



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3. Never take books home. The teacher seeing the books will think you are merely trying to influence his opinion of you.
4. Always raise your hand when you are oblivious of the answers. The teachers only call on pupils who do not raise their hands.
5. Never agree with the teacher. Many an hour of regular classwork can be avoided by a good argument.

## DAFFYNITIONS

- Plump—Contraption used to get water out of a well.
- Snack—A reptile.
- Garret—A vegetable.
- Dock—Family physician.
- Flit—A coquette.
- Gong—A group of friends.
- Buff—To deceive.

*He saw her home,  
The hour was late;  
They paused a bit,  
Just at the gate.*

*"I'd like a kiss,"  
He shyly said.  
She ran—he got  
The gate instead.*

Olive Peterson reminds us of Mussolini, because she is a Dick-take-er.

“Does your dog chase cows?”  
“No, he's a bull-dog.”

*Girls are like a bit of gold,  
Hard to get and hard to hold.  
Boys are like a bit of snuff,  
Just a bit and that's enough.*

A line is something well baited which is thrown out by a girl, caught by a poor fish, commonly known as a sucker, who is eventually cleaned and boiled. Do you see what we mean?

*Little drops of powder,  
Little drops of paint,  
Make little Ames High Juliet,  
Just what she ain't.*

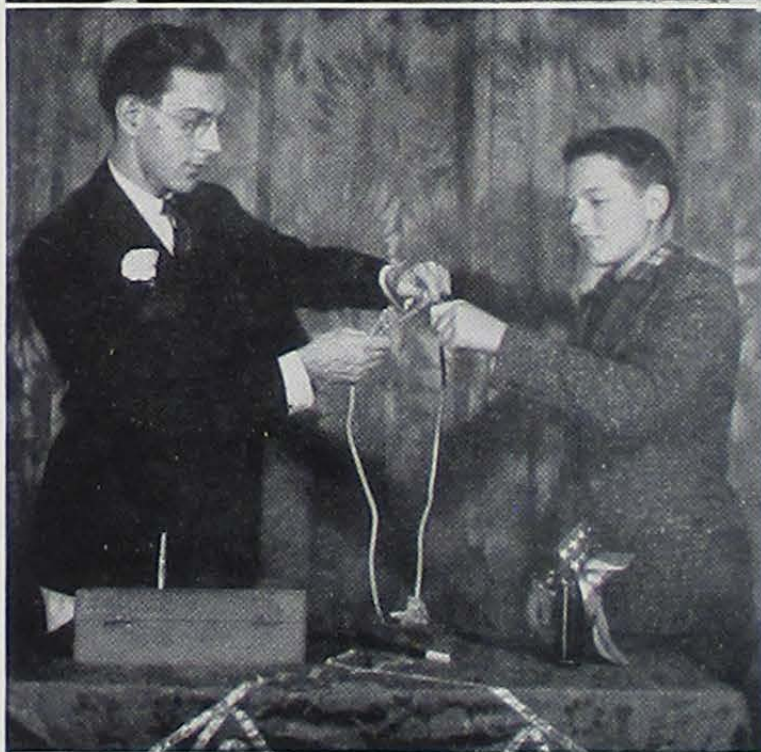
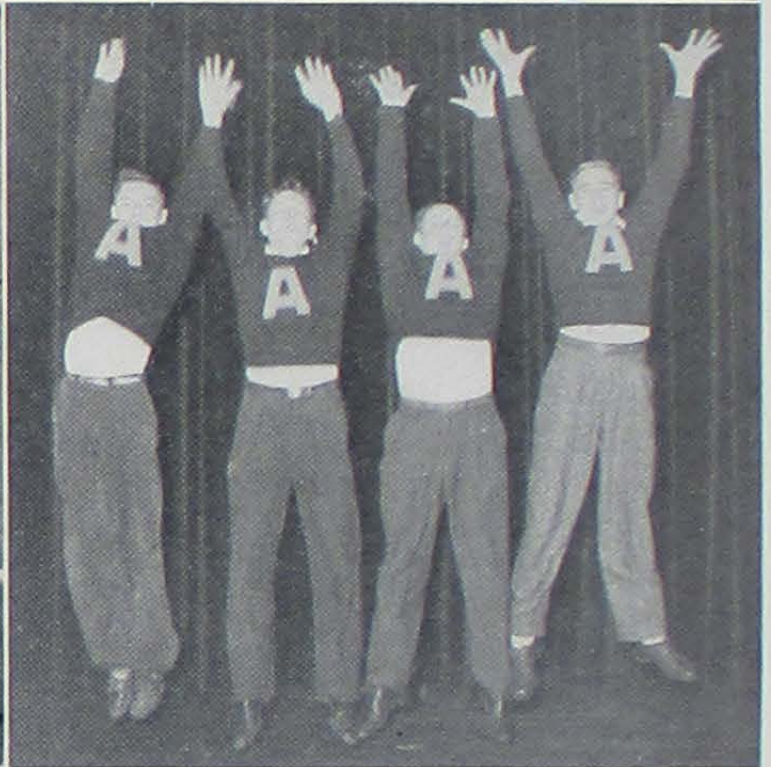
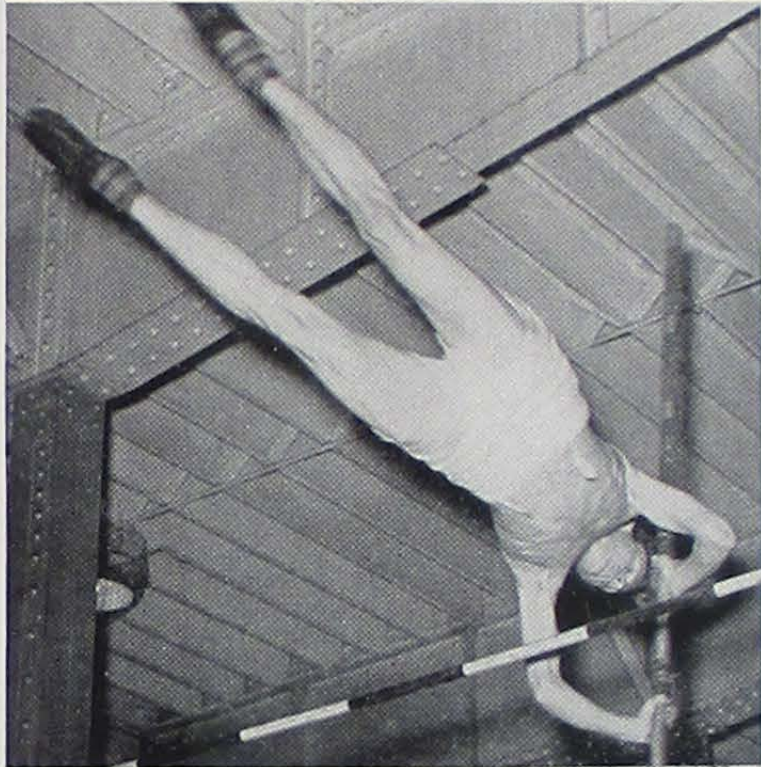
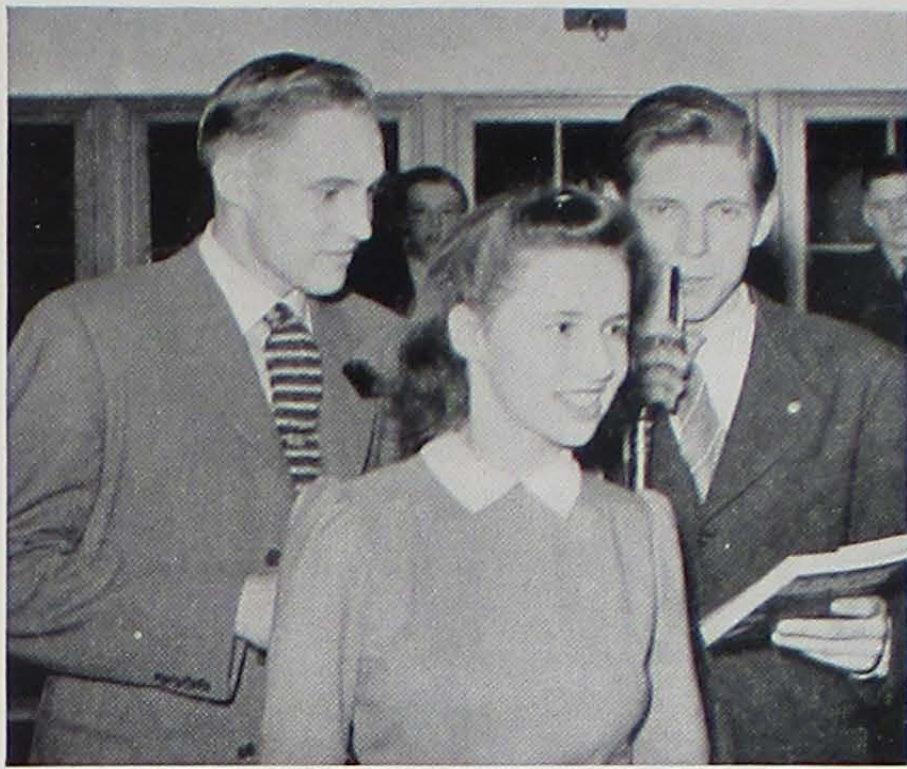
## GUESS WHO?

Answers on Page 101

1. Itch
2. Dis
3. Bubbles
4. Fish
5. Slug
6. Smiley

Then there's the basketball enthusiast who handed her ticket to the boy at the door and said, "Here, put some punch in it."





- Dream Girl Carter and Superman Shugart—that's Carrold on the right.
- He has nice legs, doesn't he?
- Stanley Benz, magician, performs for students.

- Bill looks a bit under the weather, wouldn't you say?
- "Hallelujah" by Roger, Don, Jim and Ed.
- Don Moyer demands his change from the cafeteria cashier.



## FAMOUS QUOTATIONS

"You know, you're glamorous  
in a hideous sort of way."

"You children . . ."

"Mon Dieu ! ! !"

"Come into my office."

"Well, I'm working on him."

"But Courtney . . ."

"I was in love once, for  
two whole days."

"Now my little girl . . ."

Winfred Douglas to Ruth Miller

Bruce Firkins

Miss Hadish

Mr. Young

Mary Jane Rice

Mary Gilchrist

Carl Martin

Mr. Harms

### PSALM OF (SCHOOL) LIFE

LOUISE J. BROWN

*Tell me not in mournful letters,  
High school days were meant to dream,  
For the red F is a fetter,  
And will wreck my little scheme.*

*School is real and school is earnest,  
But the grades are not the goal,  
Dances once, to books returnest,  
Was not spoken of the soul.*

*In the school's broad field of battle,  
In the study hall of gloom,  
Be not noisy, haughty senior,  
Resign yourself to silent tomb.*

*Let us then be up on doing,  
With our hearts on triumph set,  
Still romancing, still pursuing,  
We will get diplomas yet.*

### ANSWERS TO "GUESS WHO?"

on Page 99

1. Phyllis Anderson
2. Harold Shugart
3. Bill Cushing
4. Virginia Dyas
5. Ted Garfield
6. Leonard DeHoet

Paul Nichols: "You Know, this Civics is certainly a well-rounded subject to me?"

Coral Hanson: "In what way?"

Paul Nichols: "Well, it's got me going in circles."

*Little Jack Horner*

*Sat in a corner,  
Eating his Christmas pie.  
He stuck in his thumb,  
And pulled out a plum,  
And said, "What a gory mess."*

*Peter, Peter pumpkin eater,  
Had a wife and couldn't keep her,  
He put her in a pumpkin shell,  
Gosh, I'll bet it got stuffy in there!*

*Little Boy Blue come blow your horn,  
The sheep are in the meadow, the cows are in  
the corn.  
But where is the little boy who tends the sheep?  
He's gone to the movies to see Dick Tracy.*

*Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall,  
Humpty Dumpty had a great fall,  
All the king's horses and all the king's men,  
Were taken over by the Nazis.*

### Questions From the Editor:

Woody—Are you always Rushing some place?

Dona Sauvain—Does a certain person's antics  
ever Byrnes you up?

Beverly Dunlap—Is your favorite food Rice?

John Roach—Do you like Taylored clothes?

Justine Brintnall—Would you rather ride in a  
Bus or on a train?

Dick Haugen—Are you partial to ripe Olives?

Charlotte Nutty—Is wax Sleichter than ice?

Betty Grimes—Is John Nutty?

Lloyd Mahone—Are you afraid of Fleas?



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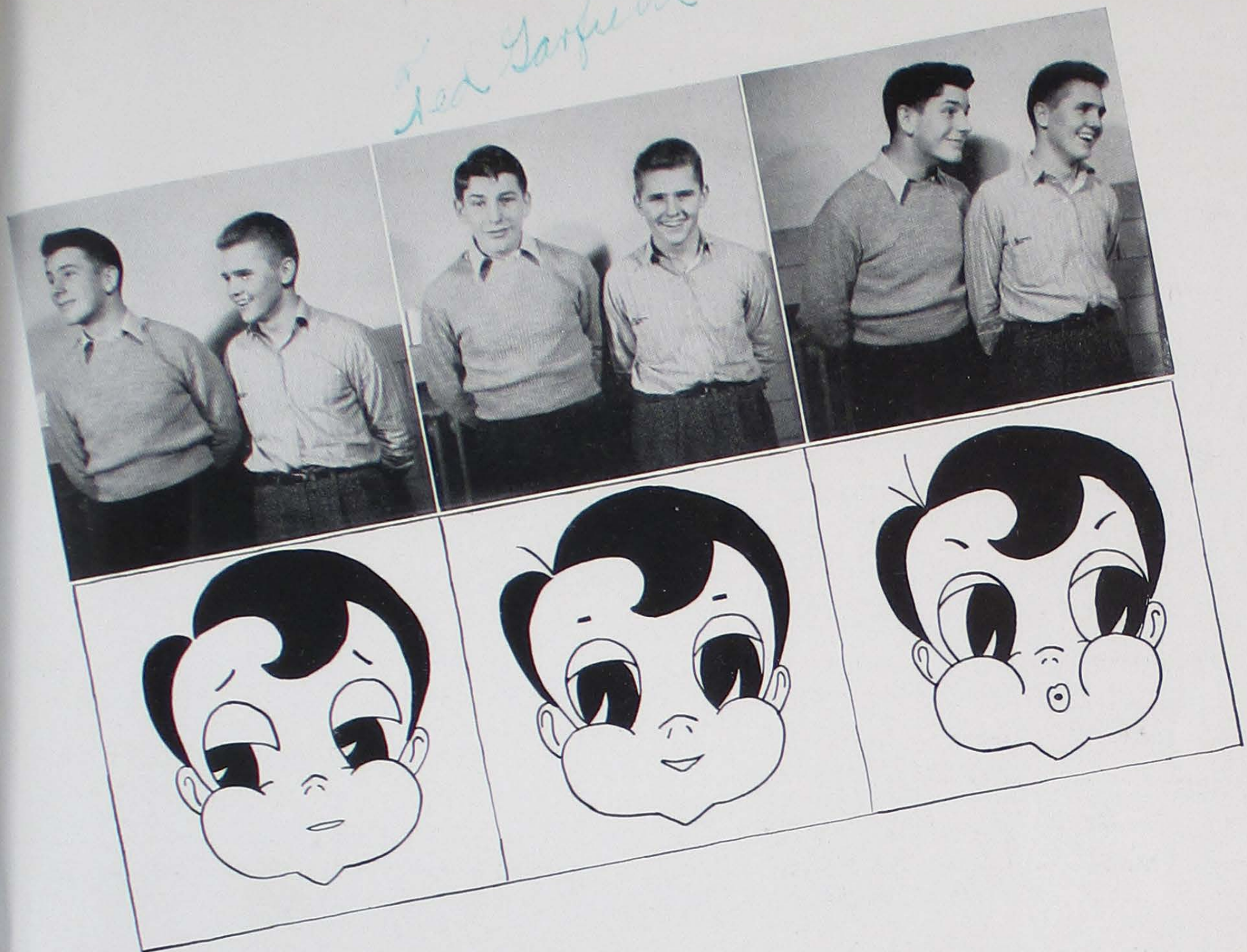
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*Lee Garfield*



## You Walk By . . .

### EUGENE O'NEIL

*I go glamorous when the girls walk by,  
Especially those from Nevada High.  
And I'd go half way across the map,  
Just for a date with a certain Sapp.*

### LLOYD KESTER

*All the girls who walk by me,  
Are just too old as you can see.  
I'll take mine, as in days gone by,  
Fresh from the ranks of Junior High.*

### BUS CAINE

*Beautiful women, ah beautiful dames,  
At meeting these creatures is what I aim.  
When they walk by, I'm personality plus,  
(But between you and me, I get sorta fussed.)*

### HAROLD SHUGART

*Every girl from Mary to Vi,  
Thinks I'm really quite the guy,  
So when they walk by me, amazed,  
They're the one that's in the daze.*

### JOHN PETERSON

*Not many girls bother me,  
I've made them simply let me be.  
But my heart shifts right into high,  
When a Southern accent saunters by.*

### JERRY GALLIGAN

*When the girls go walking by,  
I gaze at them with open eye.  
With all of them I really rate,  
Even though I refuse to date.*



## A BIT OF PHILOSOPHY

It's not the menu that makes a good dinner,  
It's the men u sit next to.

Appearances are deceitful.

Practice makes perfect.

Empty wagons make most noise.

Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

A little nonsense now and then,  
Is relished by the best of men.

Clothes make the man.

A little learning is a dangerous thing.

None but the brave deserve the fair.

It is never too late to learn.

A poor excuse is better than none.

Two heads are better than one.

Laugh and grow fat.

Any AHS girl

Janet Yoder

Typing student

Bob Wallace

Butz Cook

Bruce Firkins

John Engeldinger

You know . . .

Harold Shugart

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Congratulations  
and Best Wishes  
to the Class  
of 1941



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ONCE, early last fall, a mighty senior strolled pompously down the corridors of Old Ames High. We shall call this senior Carl, for lack of anything else to call him. He paused in the hall to watch the thundering herd go by. While so doing, his roving glance happened to fall on a small sophomore walking down the hall. Innocently the little maiden, we shall call her Janie, for lack of anything better, looked up under her long, silky lashes and surveyed our hero. As the proud young beauty gazed up, our hero uttered, in a tone betraying his feelings for her, "Hiya Babe!" to which Janie replied, "Hiya Handsome."

Frightened at her boldness, she disappeared from view of the handsome senior. But our hero, not giving up hope, worked valiantly to win the young girl's heart. Time passed swiftly for the couple, and one day Carl nerved himself and approached Janie. Reading in his little black book, he decided that the cave-man technique was the best to use on this specimen, so he uttered in a loud, guttural voice, "How about a coke date dis evenin' after school?" Janie, taken back by the harshness of his tone, knew she dare not defy our hero so she replied meekly, "O. K., Butch." Thus ends the story of the coke date of Janie and Carl.





- Next to nothing, we like to eat—John and Bruce.
- BACK Row: Nicky, Jady, Dona. FRONT Row: Milk, sandwich.
- Shug and Carl should be in a dental advertisement.
- This is a picture of Miss Ruth Miller.
- "Just pull this little lever, see?" says Dean.
- Who's getting all that recognition, Marilee?



## Professional Men

### DENTISTRY

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STUDY CLUB

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DR. G. E. McFARLAND, JR.  
313 FIFTH STREET

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DR. J. E. McFARLAND  
313 FIFTH STREET

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DR. J. H. HANSEL  
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505 Kellogg

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### Chiropractor

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Phone 102

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DR. O. L. THORBURN  
213½ Main Street  
Phone 430

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DR. M. A. UKENA  
Orthodontist  
312½ Main Ph. 1667

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*To miss a kiss  
Is more amiss  
Than it would be  
To kiss a miss;  
Provided that  
The kiss you miss  
The miss herelf  
Would never miss.  
But if you try  
To kiss a miss  
With whom a kiss  
Would be amiss  
You'd better always  
Miss the kiss.*

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For students who are worrying about graduating, remember, the easiest way to get out of high school is to Pass Out.

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Principle spelt (ple) means *a* rule, but Principal spent (pal) means just plain rule.

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### AMES HIGH

Listen, my children, and you shall hear  
Of a very large school that's new around here.  
In it you'll find every kind of a thing,  
Teachers, and pupils, and even a King.

The leaders of seniors—the greatest of all,  
Is none other than Shugart—handsome and tall.  
The juniors all follow Romeo Rice,  
Cute as can be and awfully nice.

At nine in the morning all the week days,  
The students arrive in various ways.  
By a taxi, a bus, a Buick or bike,  
While others drive flivvers or even hitch-hike.

All the day long they're happy and gay,  
Learning and yearning to pass time away.  
At the end of the day the dread of them all,  
Is an additional period in dear study hall.

But in spite of it all, it isn't so bad,  
For if we didn't have it, the world would be sad.  
So let us enjoy it, and learn while we may,  
Make the most of Ames High School in every way.

—Virginia O'Neil





*We've done the thing,  
It's off the press;  
We had the fun,  
You can have the mess!*









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